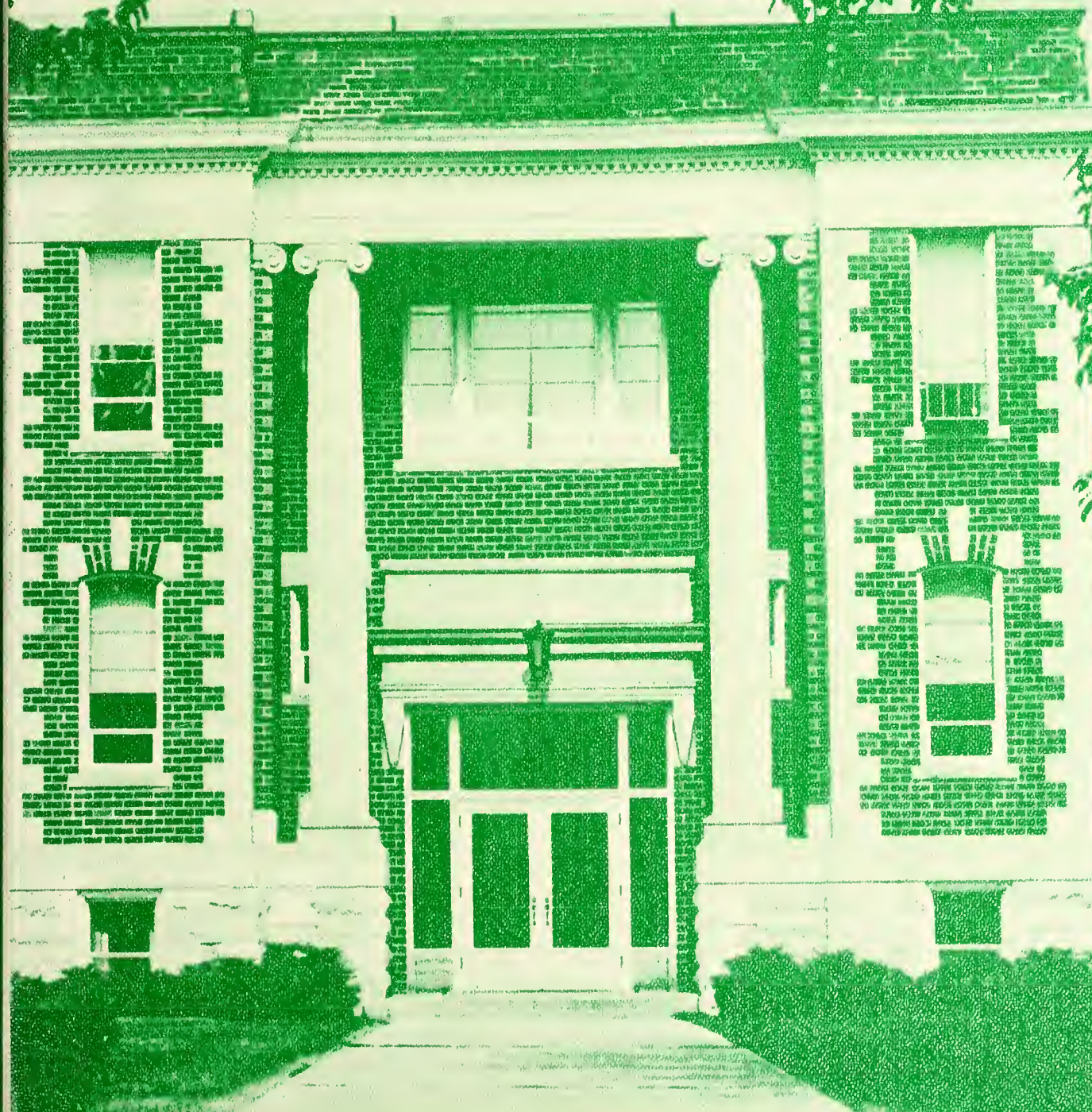


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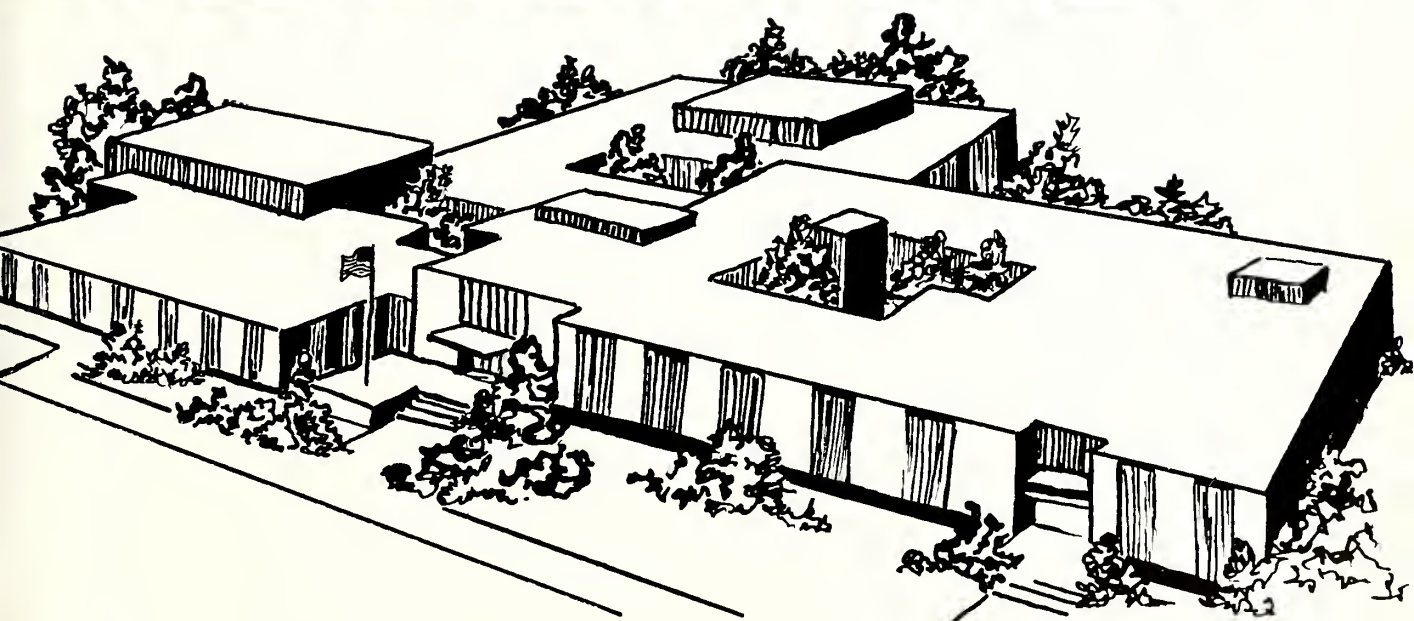
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## Dean's Message

Every man is an artist. Every life is a work of art. Yet, although the world places a value on the art, only the creator can be a true judge of its worth.

The story of Pygmalion, the sculptor whose skill was so great that the gods granted life to his creation, is known to everyone. But few have ever heard of a youth whose name is lost in antiquity and whose shattered statue rolls with the sands at the bottom of the restless Aegean. Legend says that he searched many years before finding a perfect stone above a craggy cliff and that, like any good artist, he studied it until he knew intimately the lines of the figure he planned to release.

As he began to carve, it was obvious that the work would be good. Many came to marvel and to offer advice. Midas was there, and Bacchus, and Aphrodite. And sometimes what they said to him caused the chisel to slip or the stroke of the mallet to falter. But when his work was done, men called it good and proclaimed that he would wear the laurel.

Despite their extravagant praise, each time he gazed upon the statue he was haunted by the lovely vision he had failed to release from the stone. One dark night he toppled the statue into the sea and fled.

Some said that the artist, having created perfection, had gone mad, while others said the gods had grown envious and had destroyed both the statue and her creator.

For a few day the story was on everyone's lips; then, it was all but forgotten.

Occasionally, a traveler reported having seen someone who resembled the sculptor working as a stonecutter in the quarries near Corinth or decorating wine jars at the port of Piraeus. One rumor had it that he had gone to Cyprus, had found marble of surpassing beauty, and was working at his old trade under an assumed name. The name was Pygmalion.



DR. HOWARD E. RAWLINSON

Dean

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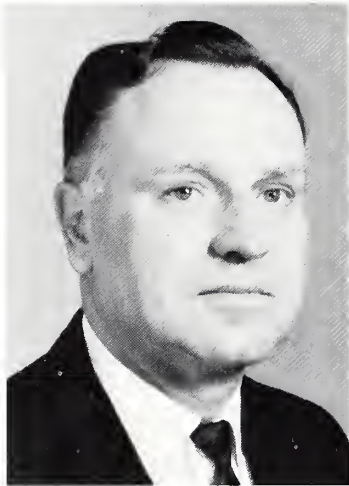
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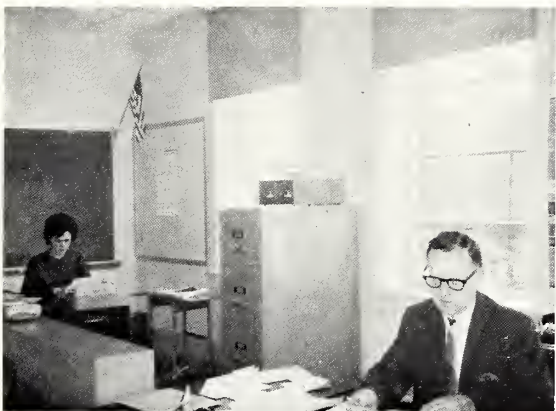


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Registrar's office working on important matters?



The Dean's right hand man

## *Work*

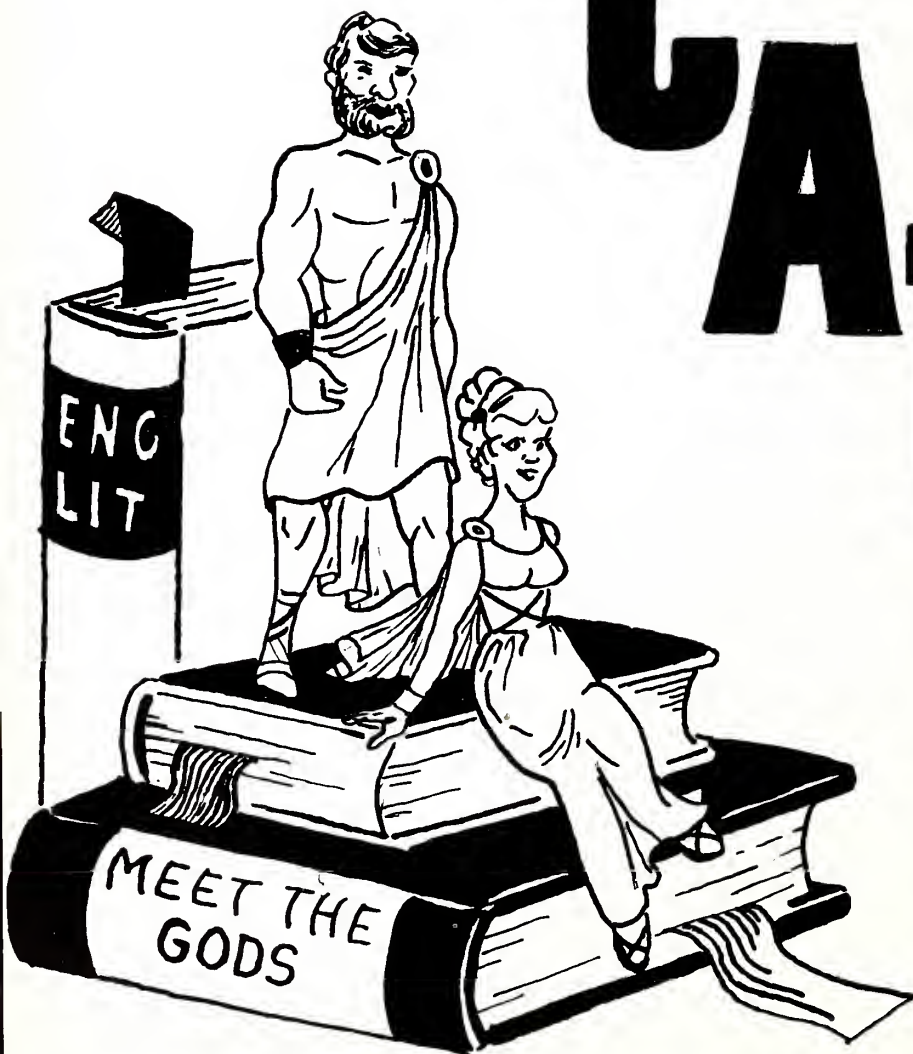


Anxious students waiting to register



Our Senate in session with Mrs. Ward

Philosopher Henry Adams has stated: "A teacher affects eternity; she never knows where her influence will stop." These lines refer to one who has encouraged us to think and to gain literary perspective. Her real enthusiasm for all that is good, all that is worthwhile in life will continue to inspire us with strength in face of adversity. We humbly dedicate this 1967 PYRAMID to one who is and always will be a great person, Miss Margaret Ann Cummings.





You must show proof!



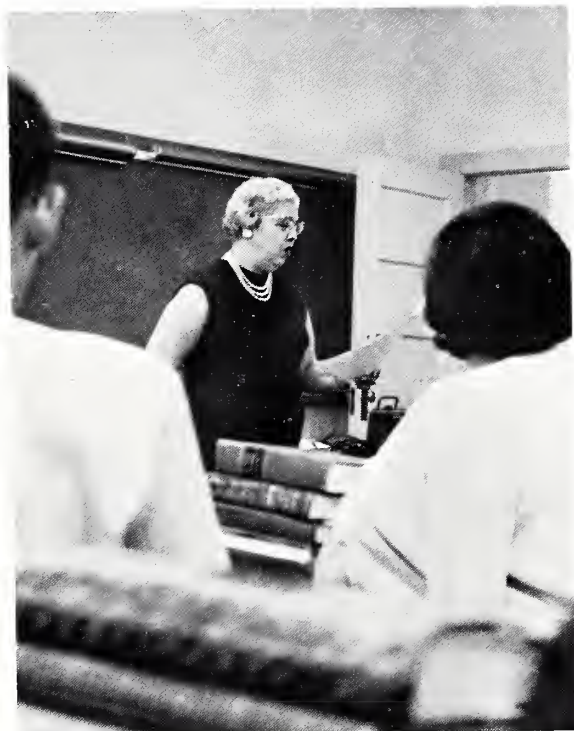
Now, here is a good theme.



What about that  
second answer?



Would  
you  
Believe?



"Friends!

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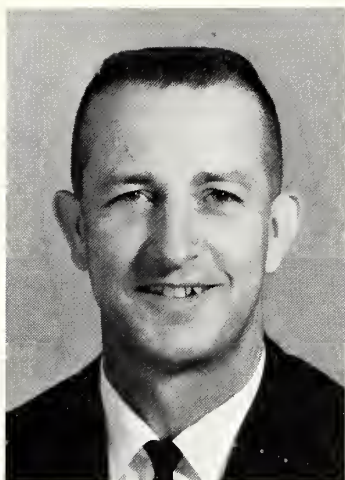
Countrymen!

Lend me your ears! . . . "

"I can't find your test paper, Sir. "







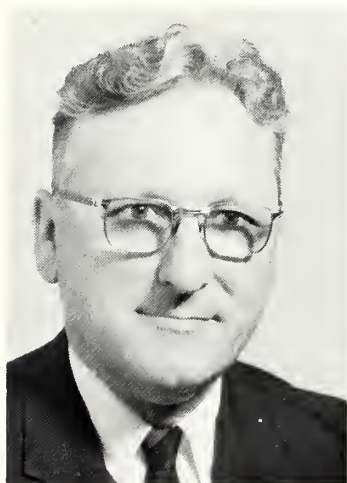
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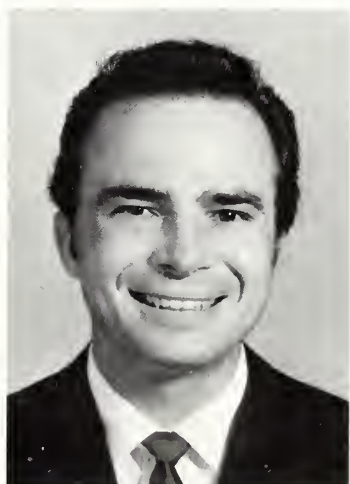
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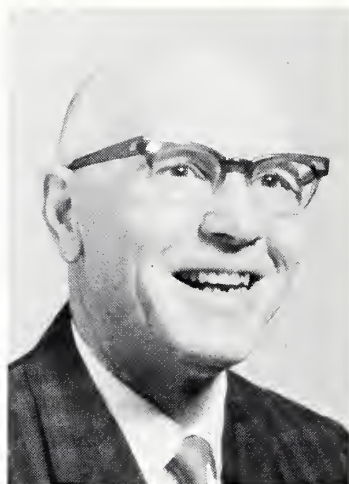


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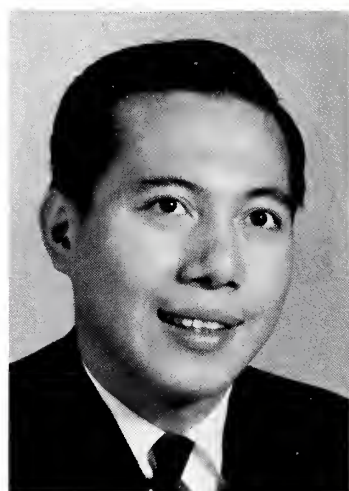
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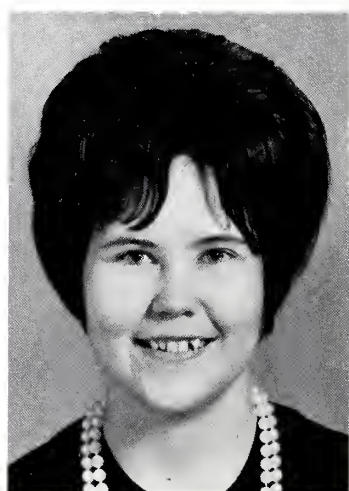
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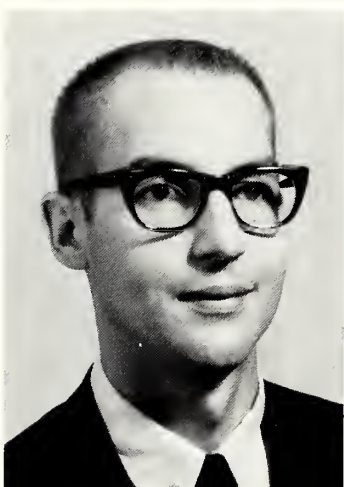
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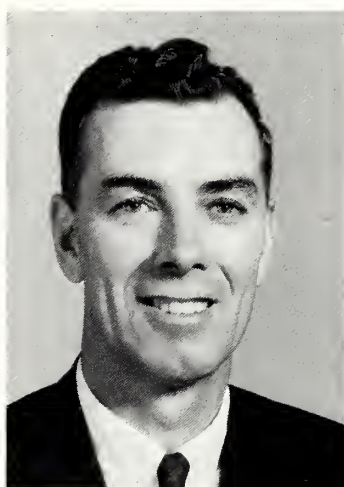
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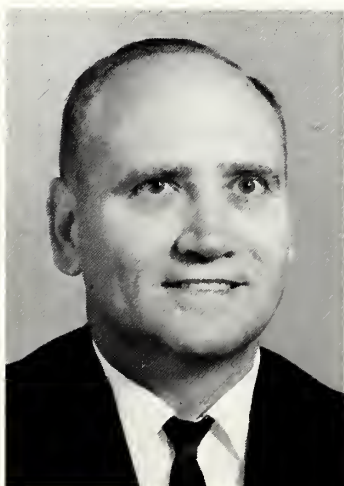
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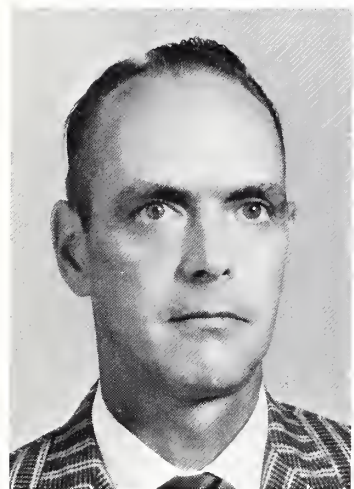


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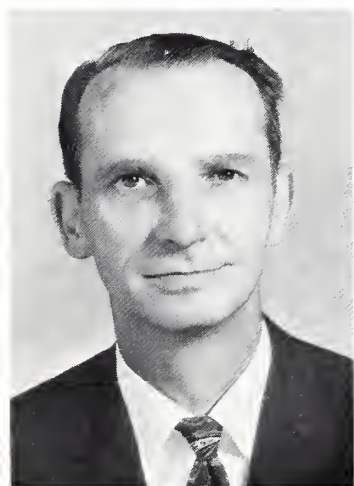
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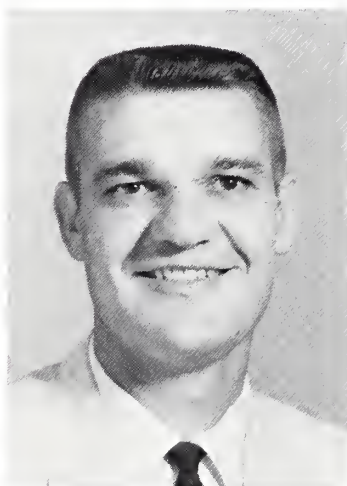
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"Come into my parlor."

Mr. Felix DyReyes



"Not this group again!"

Mr. John H. Traver



"How did you know?"

Mr. Gene Cormier



"Darn, I just can't find that exam."

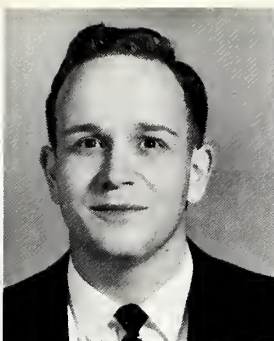
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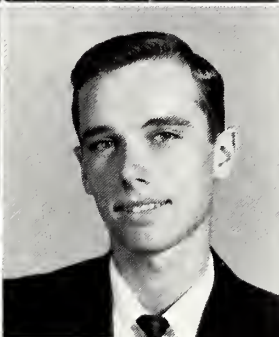
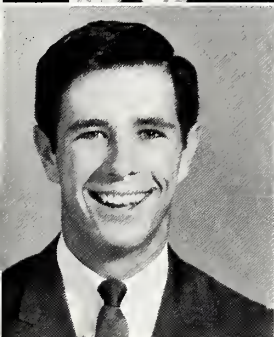
"Where can I buy a malted milk?"

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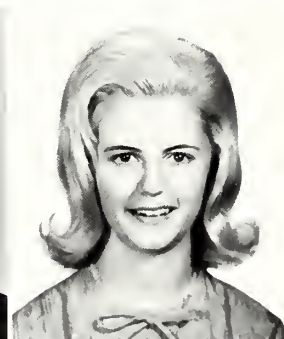
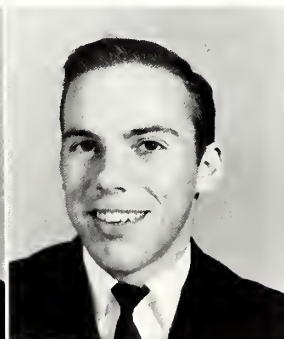
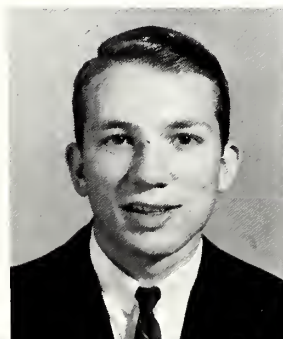
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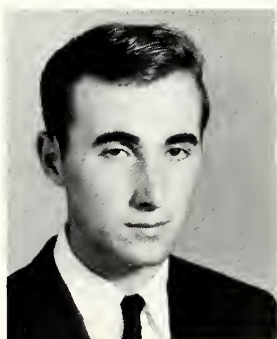
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*An early September morn  
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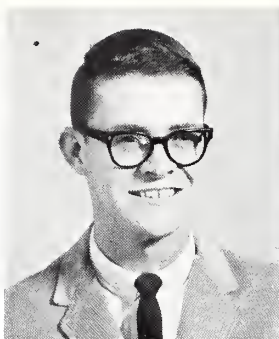


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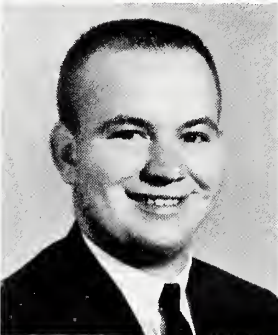
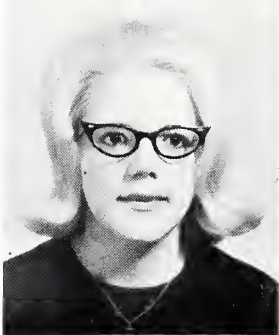




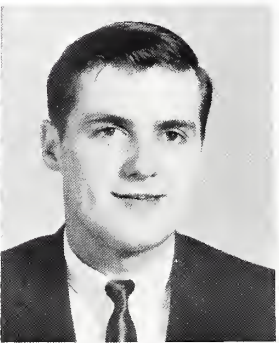
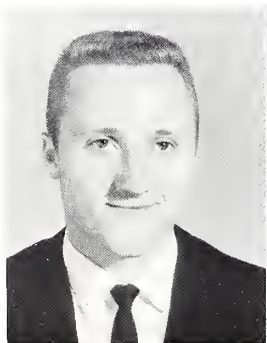
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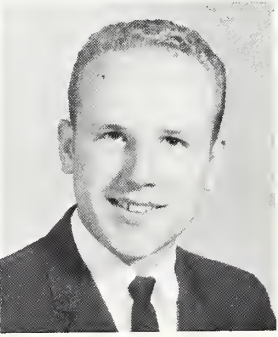
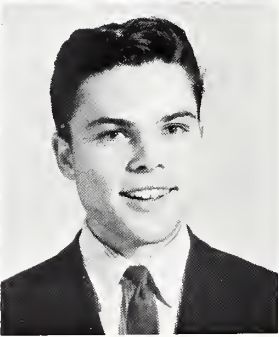
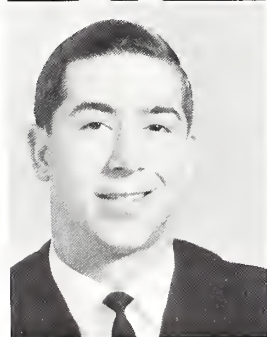
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*the dawn for us of our last*



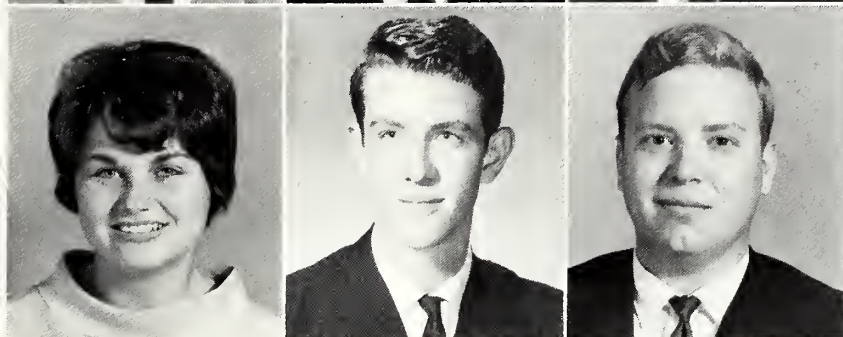
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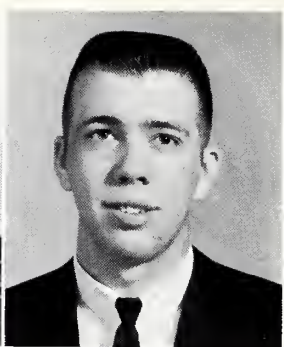
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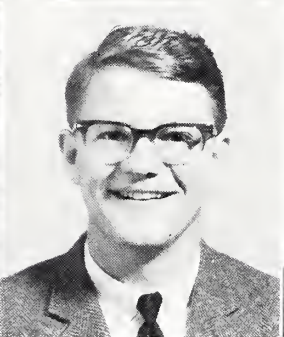
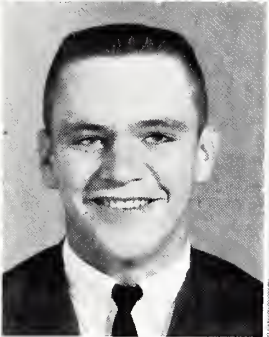
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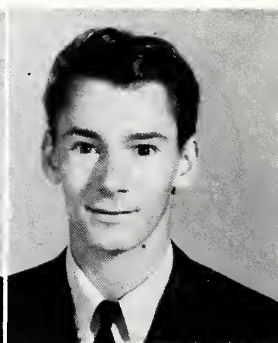
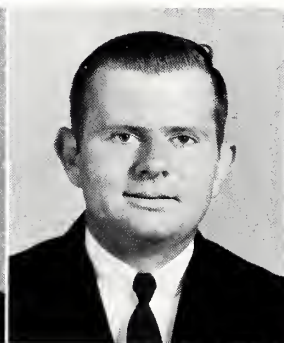
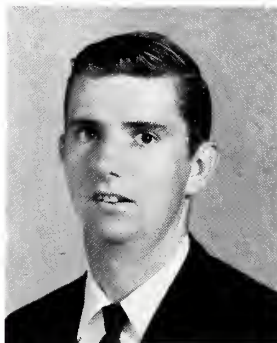
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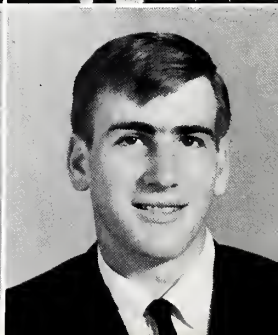
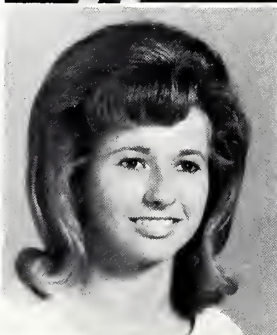
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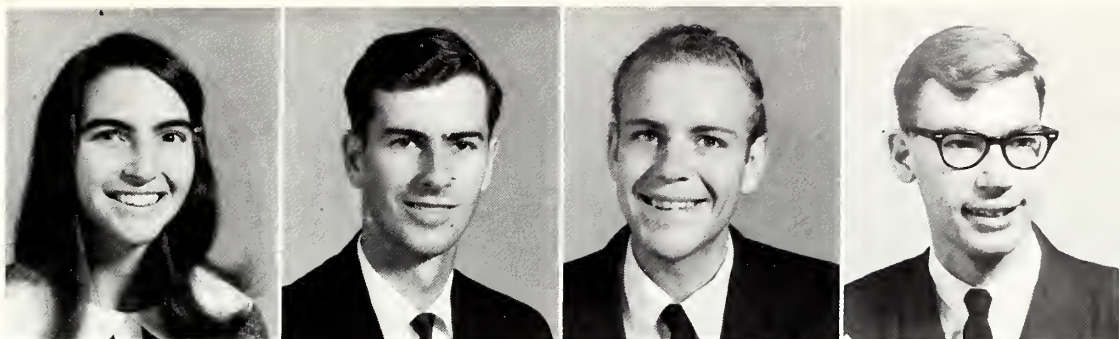


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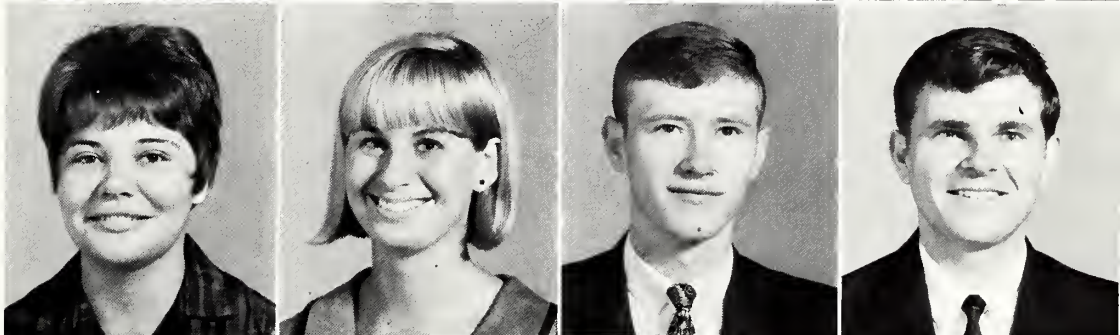




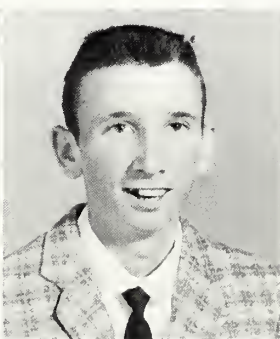
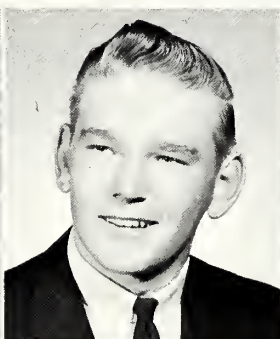
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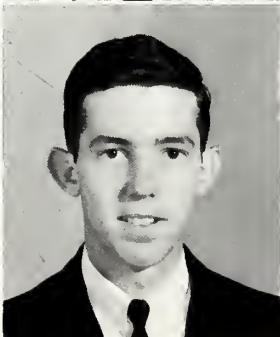
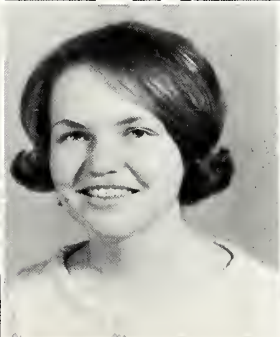
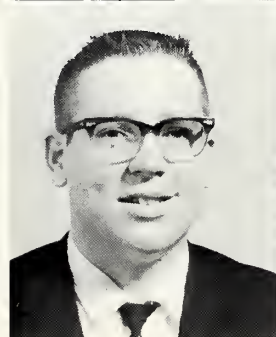
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*over the summer vacation.*



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*We still have fun at parties;*



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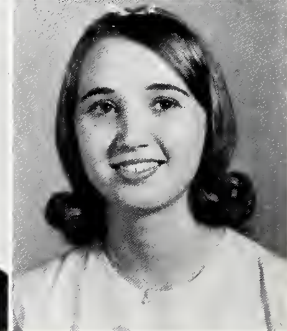
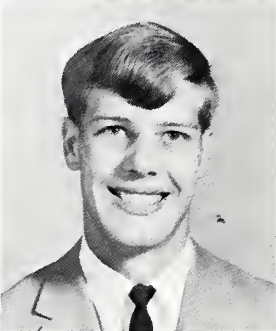
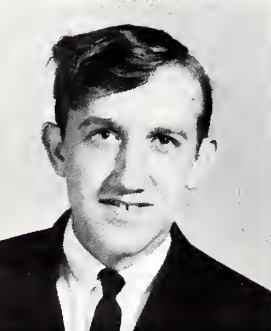
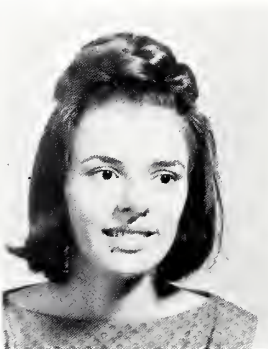
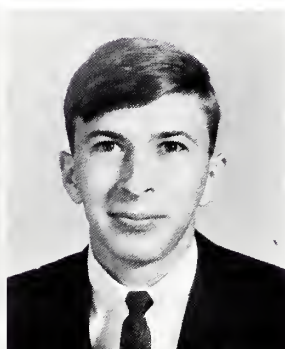
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still sell and buy used books in  
 that room off the main floor.*





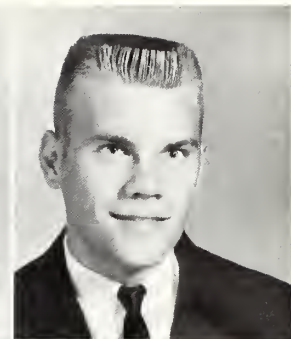
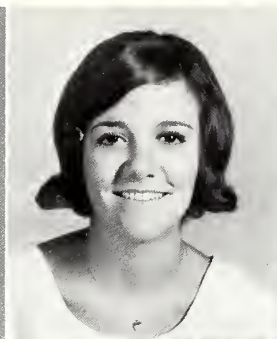
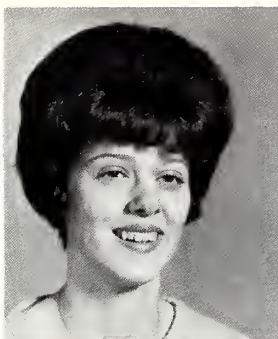


*Still can't forget that  
Gilbert and Sullivan either!*

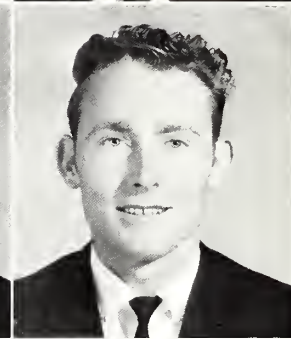
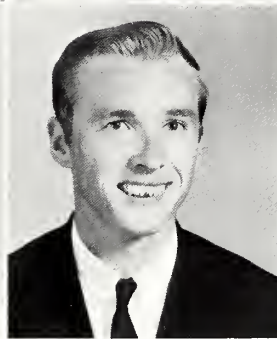


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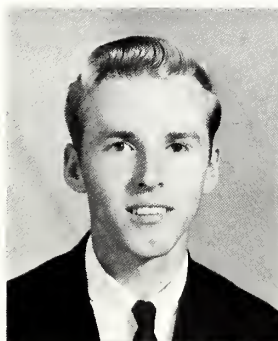


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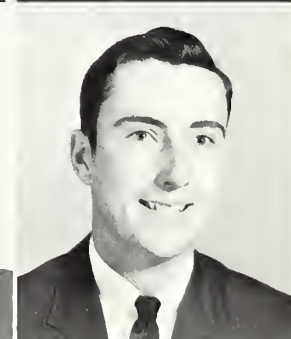


*Where we have our "breaks"*

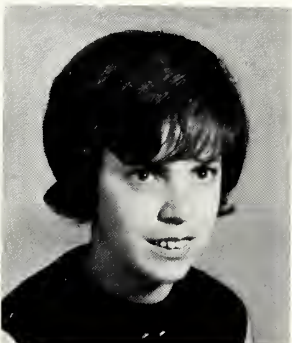
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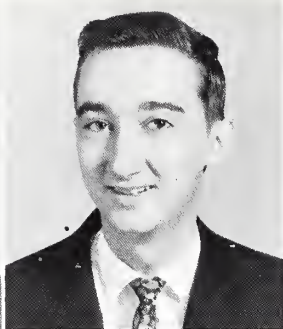
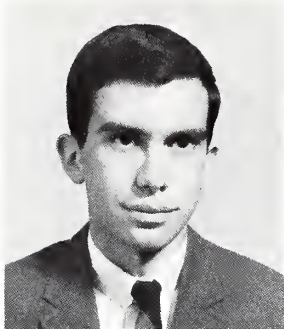
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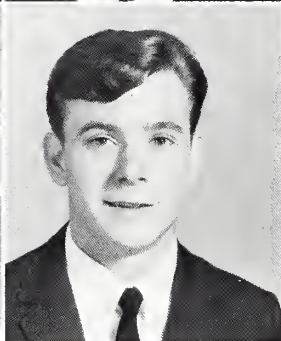
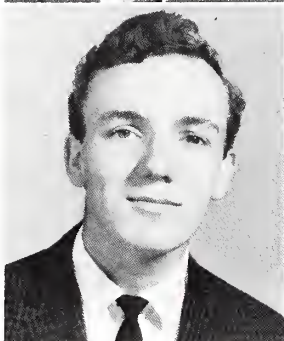
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*our talks,  
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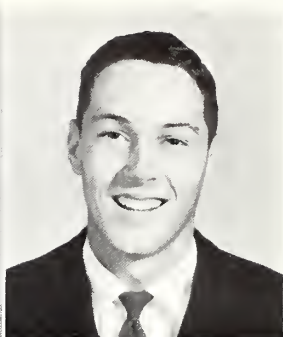


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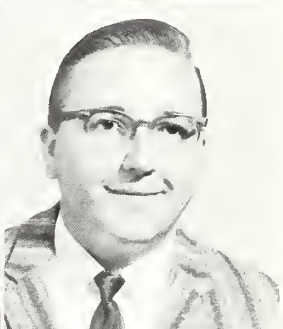
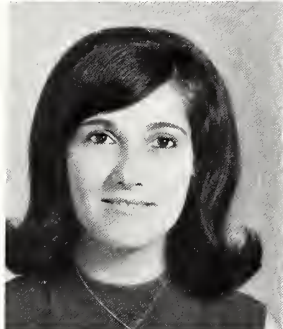




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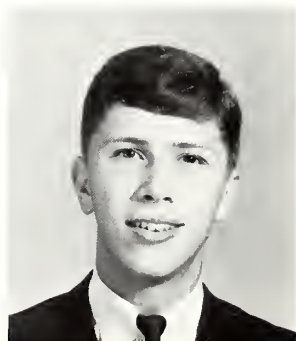
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*are still buzzing but*



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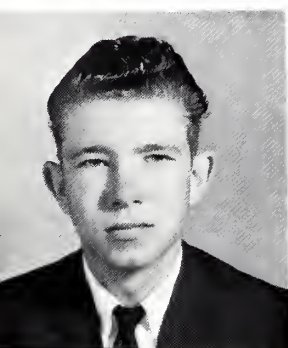


David Wilkey





TOP ROW (left to right): Douglas Williams, Roger Williams Linda Willis, and Jane Windhorst;  
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*in a different  
 way.*





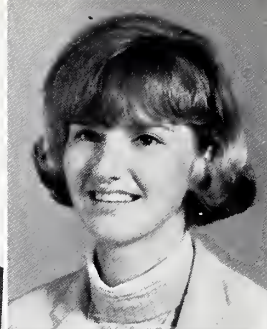
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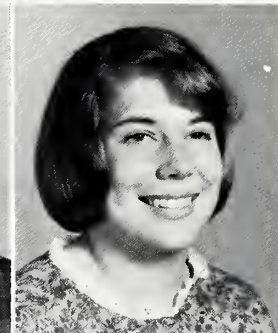
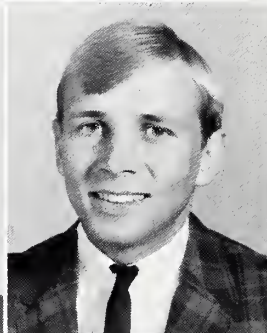
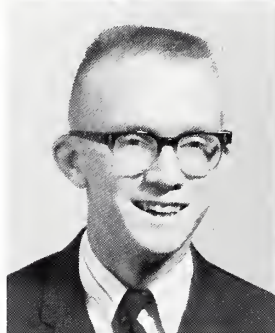
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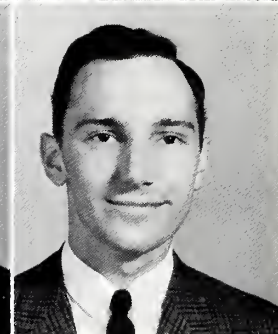
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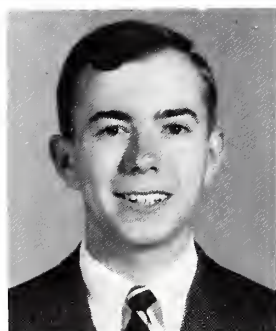
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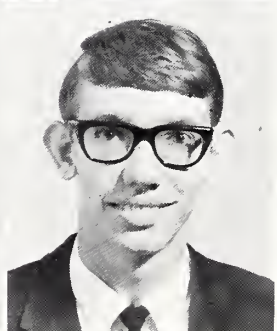
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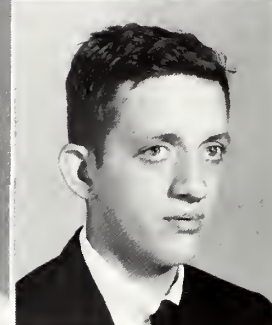
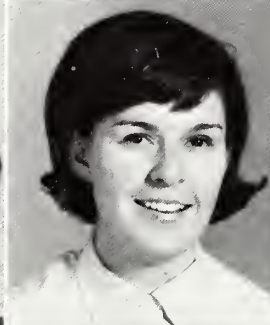


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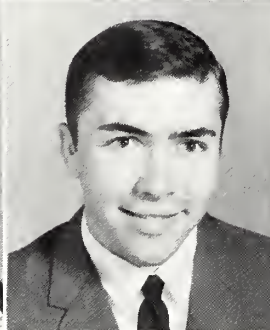
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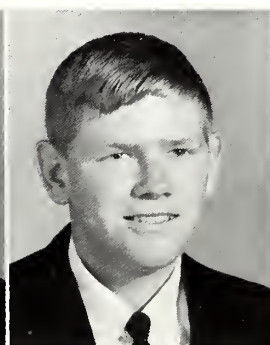
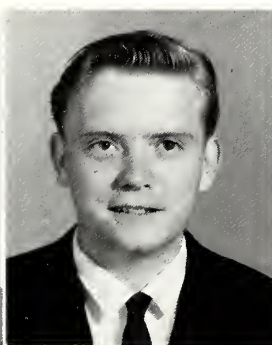
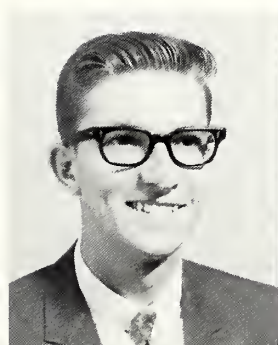
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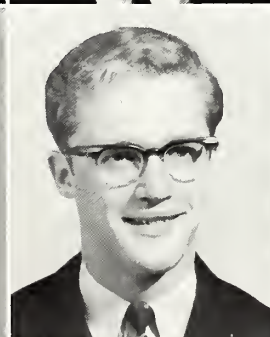
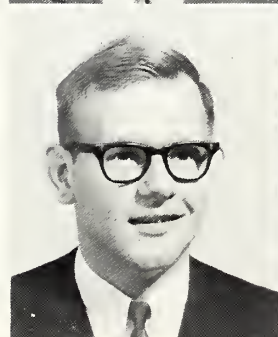
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*With Exciting New Faces.*



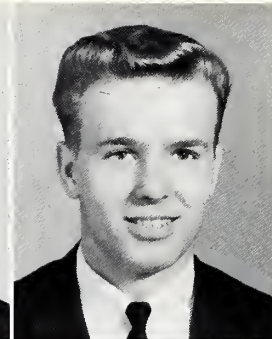
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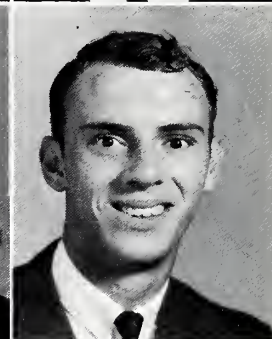
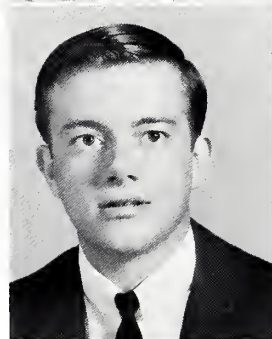
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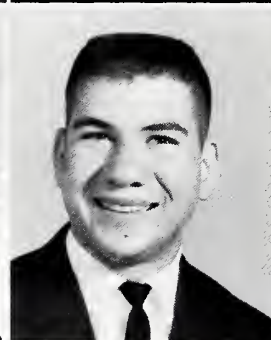
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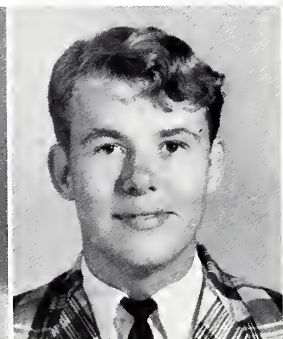
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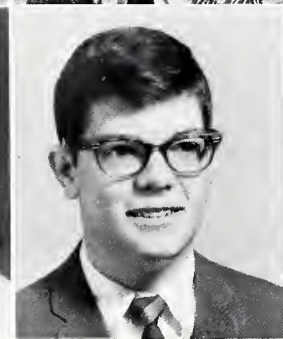
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*And Remember Cheyenne,*



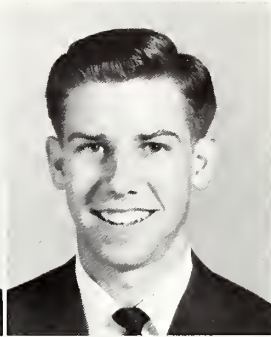
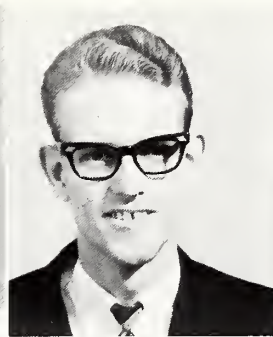
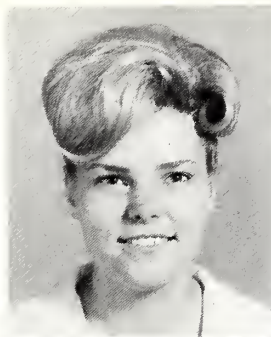
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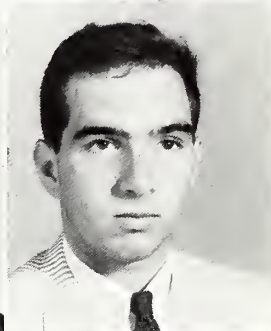
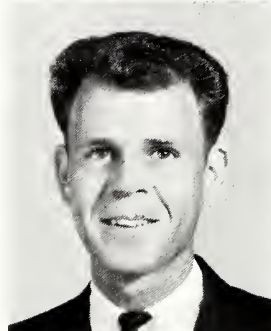
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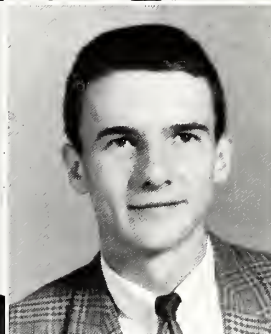
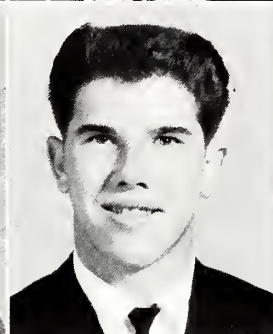
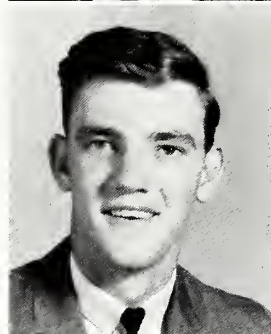
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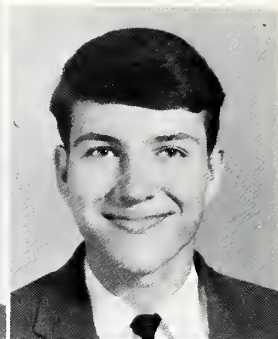
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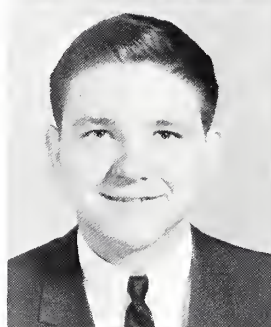
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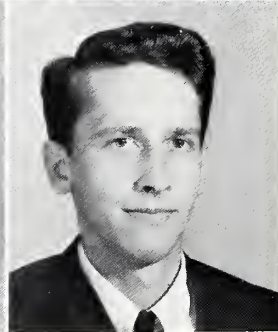
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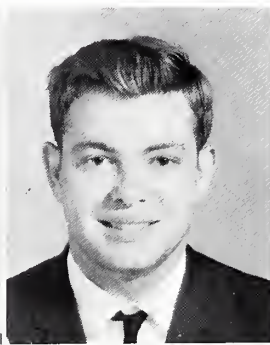
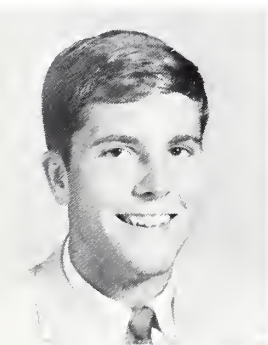
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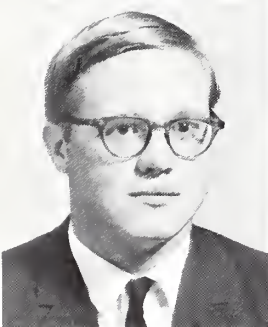
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*On the Cold days, We Rode*



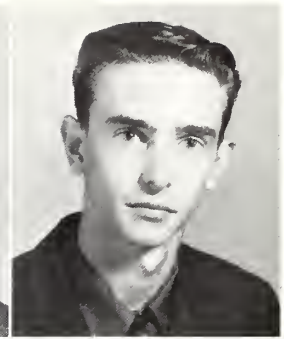
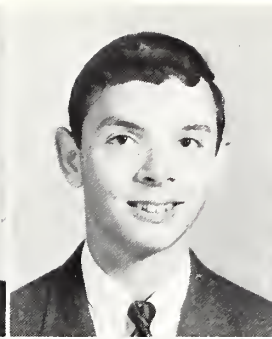
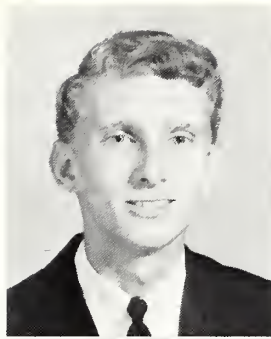
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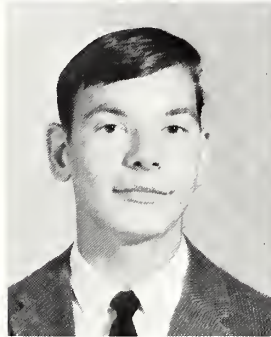
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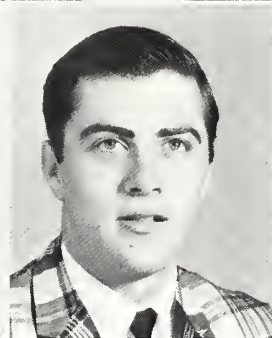
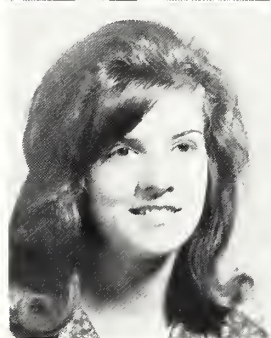
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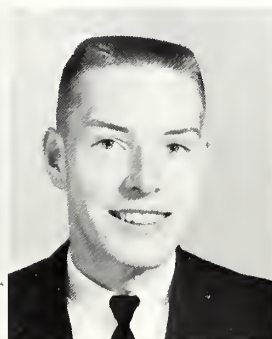
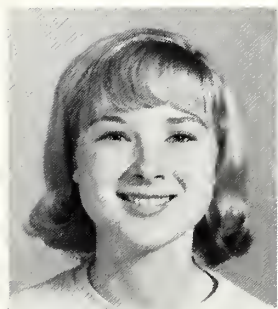
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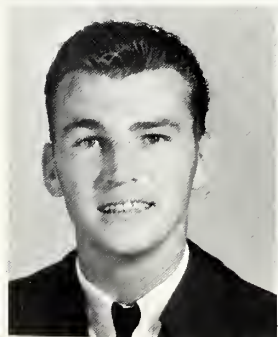
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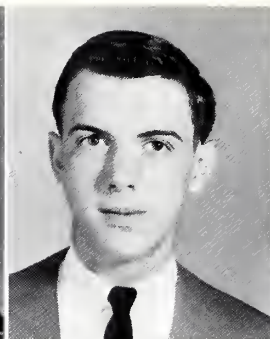
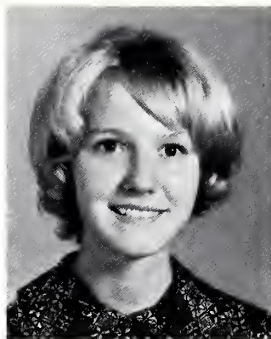


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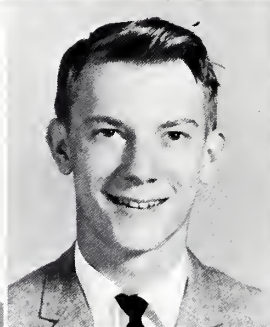
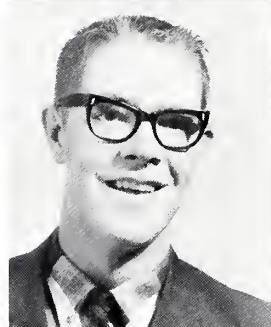


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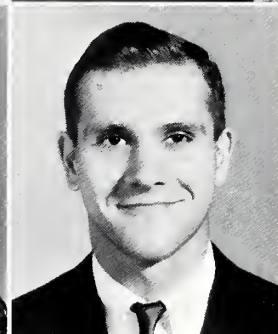
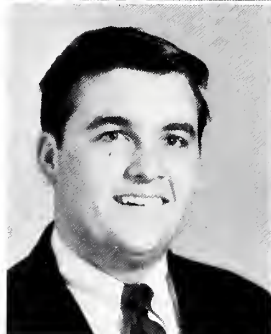
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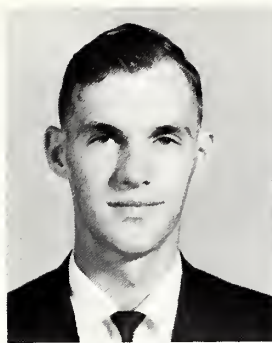


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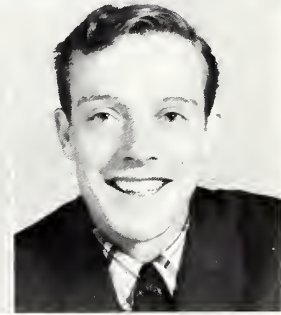
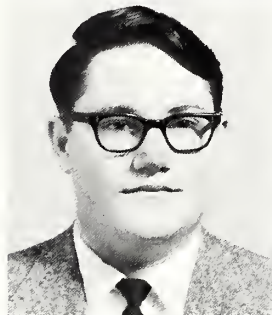




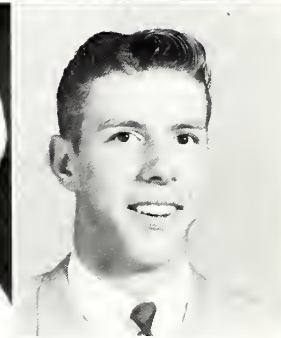
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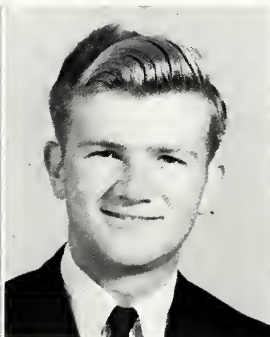
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*UP the Down Staircase.*

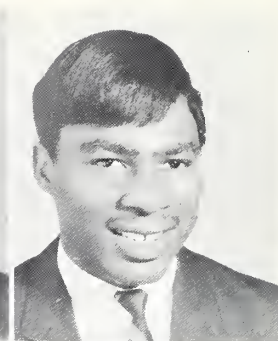
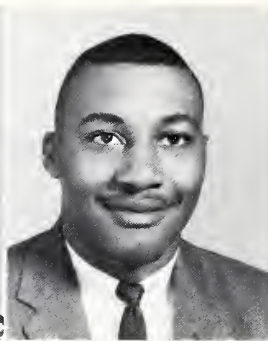


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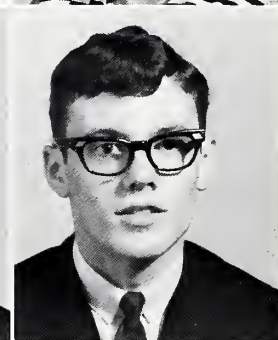
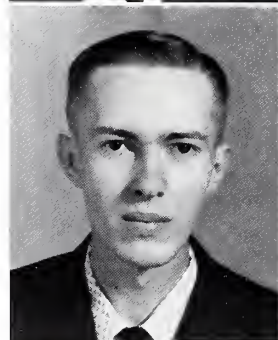
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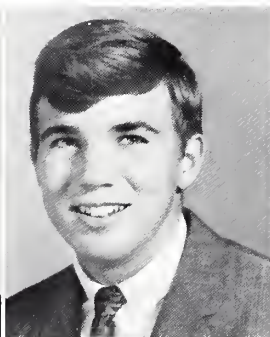
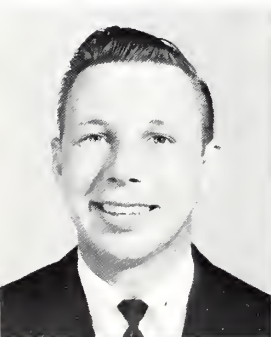
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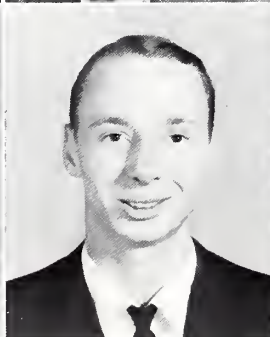
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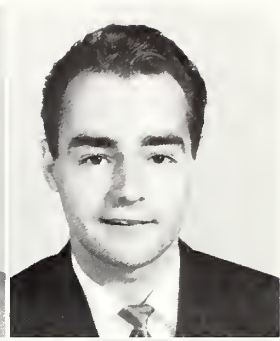
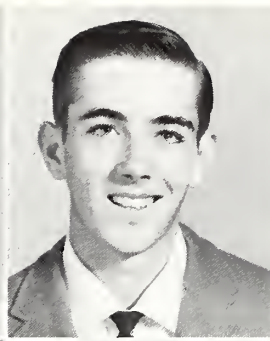
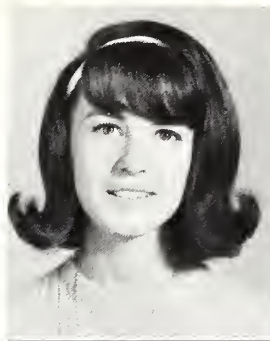
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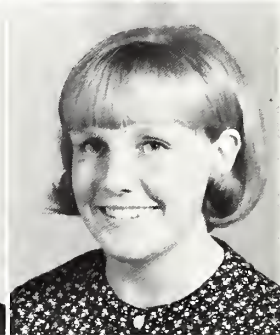
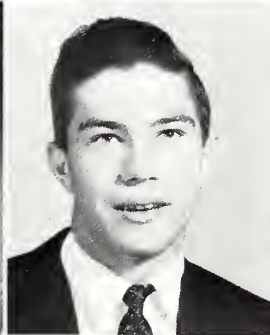
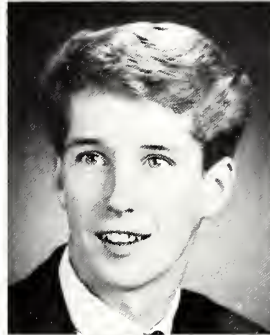
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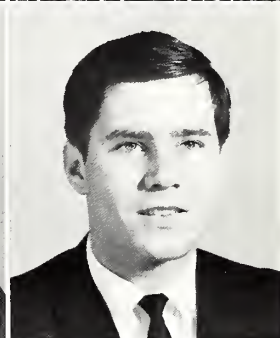
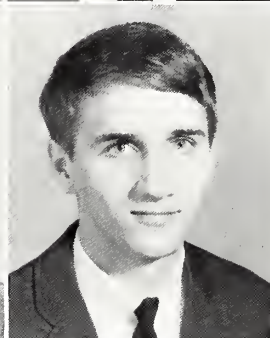
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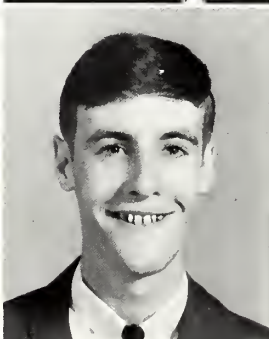
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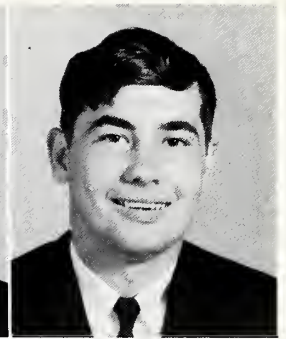
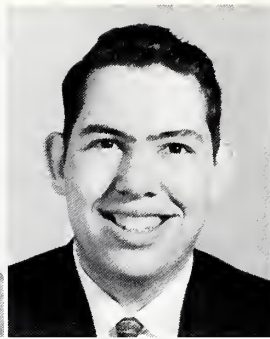


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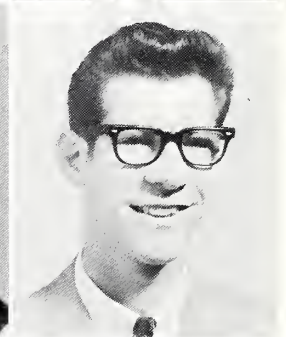
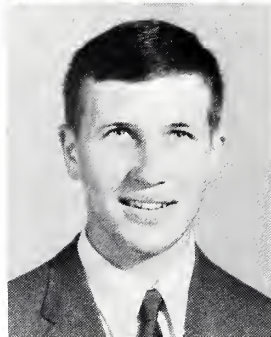


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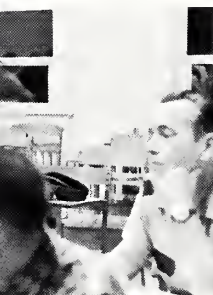
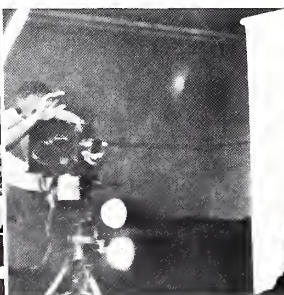
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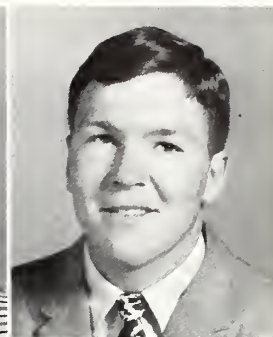
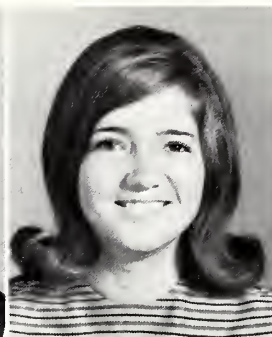


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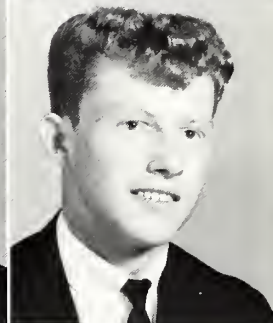




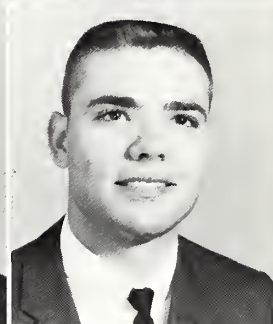
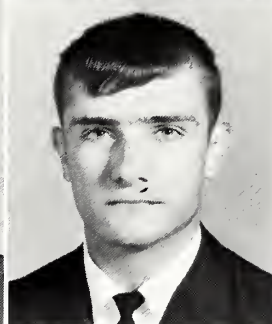
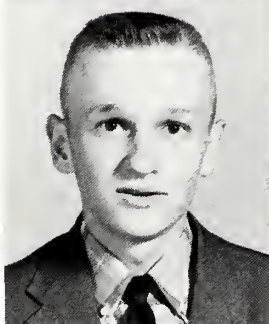
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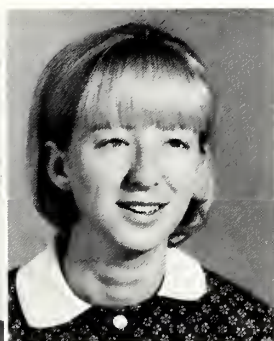
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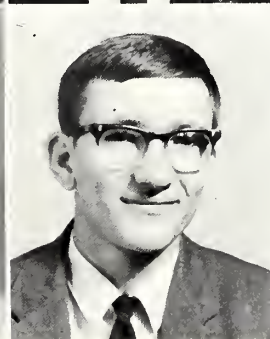
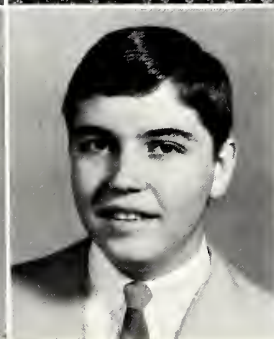
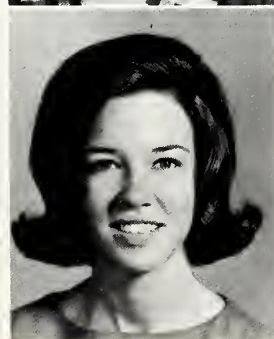
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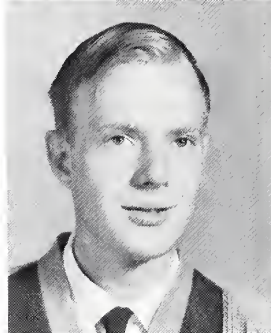


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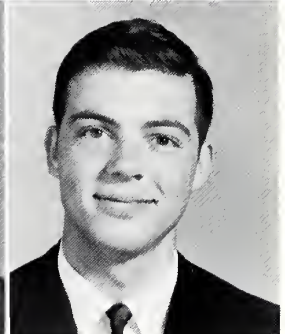
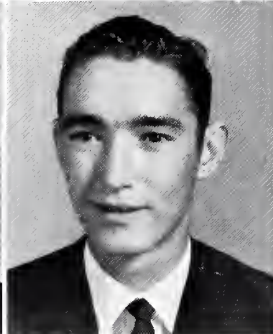
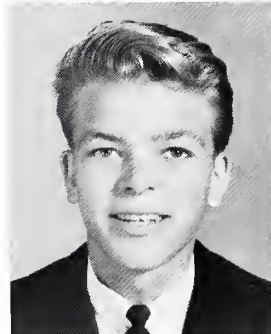
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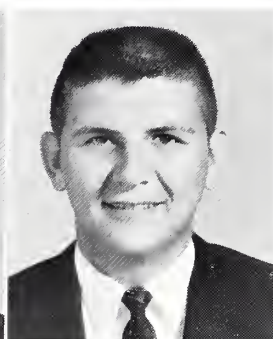
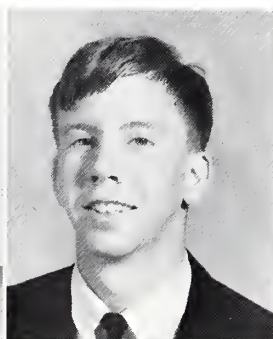
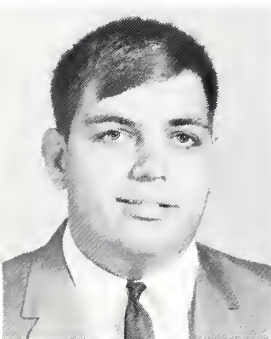
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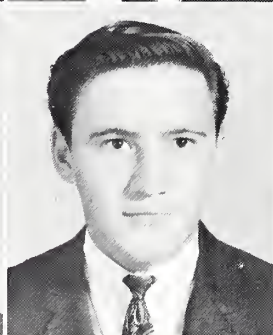
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*Soon, We found Ourselves*



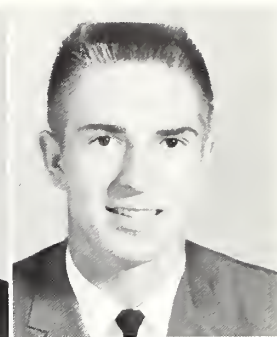
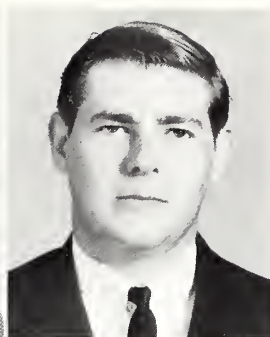
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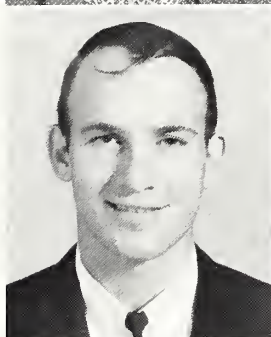
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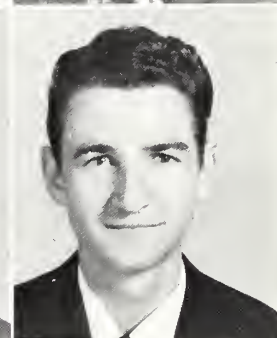
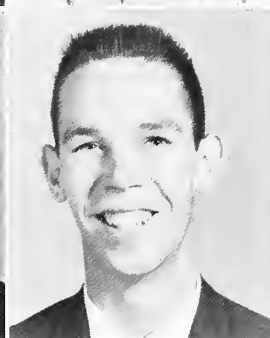
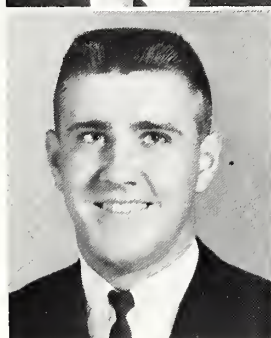
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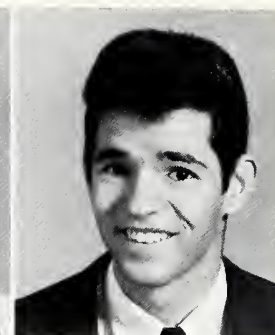
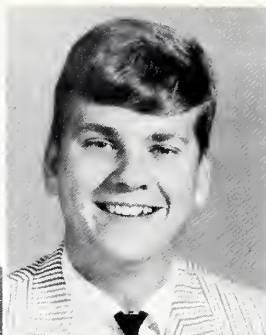
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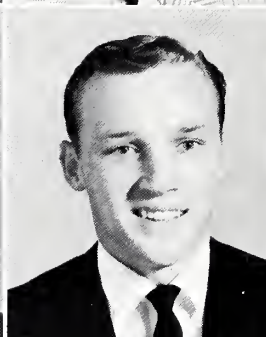
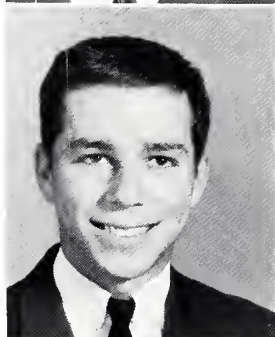
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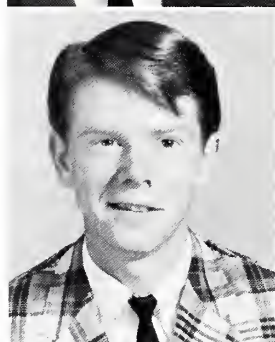
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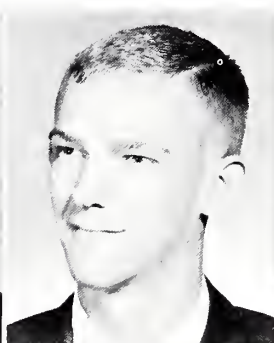
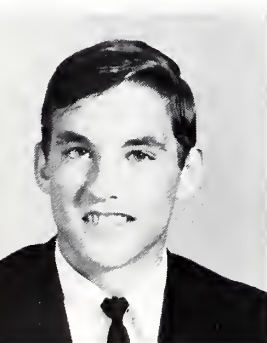
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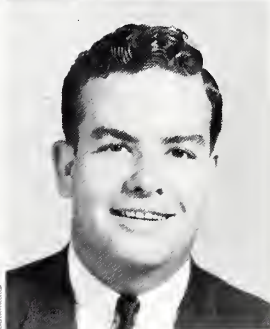
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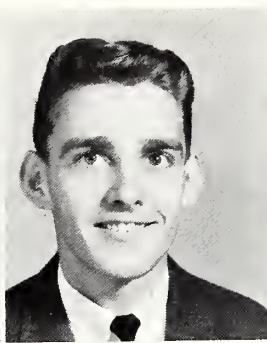
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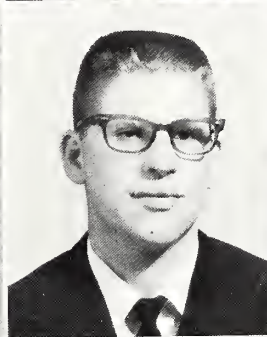
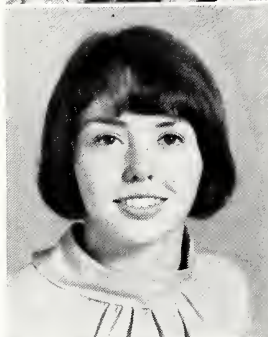
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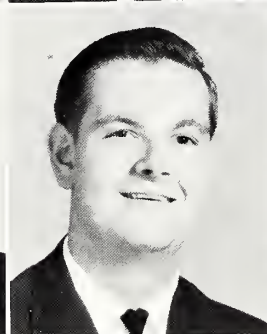
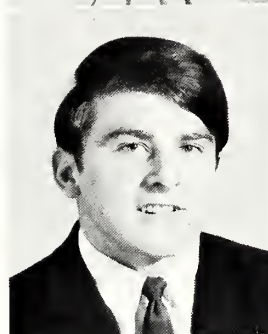
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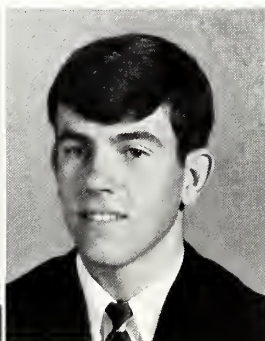
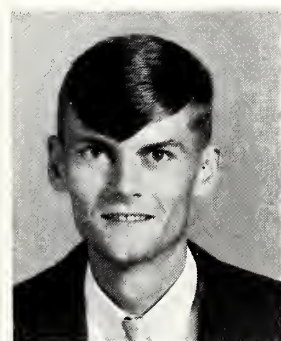
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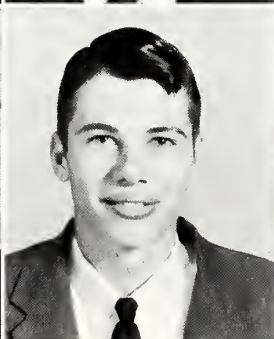
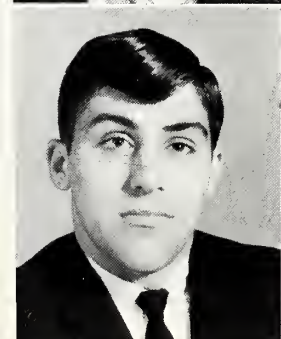
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*In the Old Library these days.*

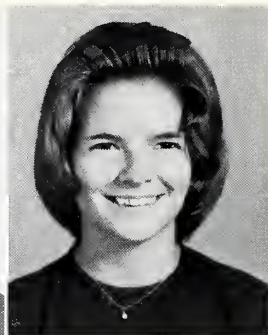
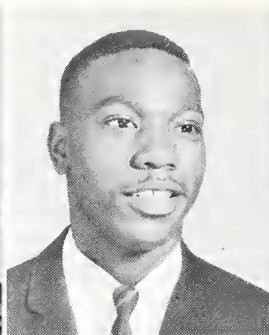


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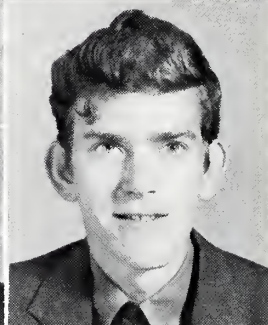
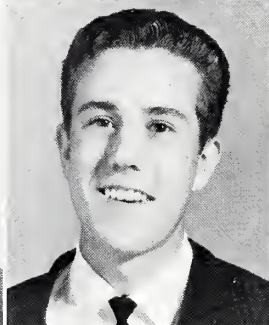
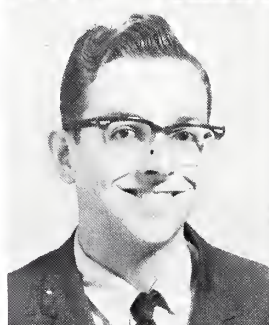


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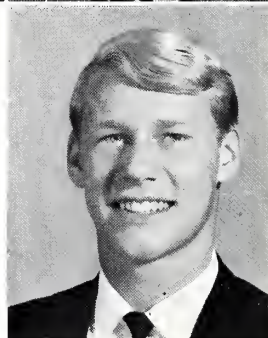
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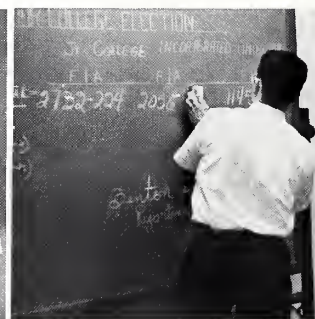
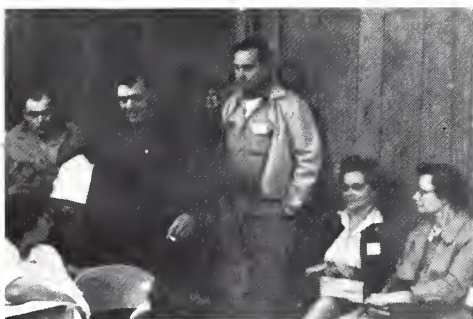
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Warren Wright  
Michael Wyatt



Daniel Wymer



*As we sincerely look to the  
not-too-distant future, we envision  
an even greater and expanding college.*





# ORGANIZATIONS



*Science Club  
Produces  
Future*



Club members discuss scientific matters, listen to lectures, and investigate recently unearthed data at their meetings.



Mr. Estes and  
are the club's



Officers make plans... concession workers are balancing the books... scientific vistas are ruminated upon.



## *Scientists*



Mr. Kownacki  
faculty advisors

The Science Club offers opportunities to interested students who desire to pursue the study of science outside the classroom. Striving to give its members a basis of both natural, physical, and chemical sciences, the club has many special functions, field trips, and projects throughout each year.

Gary Milner is this year's president; Stuart Chase, vice-president; Candee Jones, program chairman; and Becky Noel, secretary-treasurer.



First rehearsal of the Community College Orchestra

The Orchestra is directed by Mr. Tall Smith. Their performance is from all periods of serious music. Membership includes adults of the community as well as students enrolled in the Community College.

## *Music Department Presents*



Mary Alice Bond, Dee Ann Ford, Roger Garbers, Patrick McManamy, Mr. Charles Render, Mrs. Pardee, and Mrs. Bandy.





First rehearsal of the Community College Chorus

## *First Christmas Convo.*

The Community College Chorus meets serious literature as well as modern arrangements of characteristic radio, television, and recording choral literature. The classes in chorus are also open to adults. A select group of the Chorus forms the Communi-  
quettes, who appear before many groups such as the Kiwanis and Elks Clubs. The College Chorus combined with the College Orchestra presented Handel's MESSIAH in December and Mendelsohn's ELIJAH in the Spring.

Pictured from left to right in the Christmas Convocation top row: Dave Roach, Jim Lucas, John Murray, Alan Morgan, William Danner, Bud Connaway, and Bill Hogue; front row: Jane Hart, Mary Beth Pitts, Cheryl Weatherly, and Cassie Hungate; standing singing a duet: Diane Gibbs and Deena Richardson with Dee Ann Ford at the piano.





Gary Gregory, Karen Ellis, John Murray,  
Cheryl Weatherly, Roger Garbers

Learned Judge - - - - -  
Plaintiff (Angelina) - - - - -  
Defendant (Edwin) - - - - -  
Counsel (to Plaintiff) - - - - -  
Usher (Clerk) - - - - -  
Foreman - - - - -

*receive much  
in the Music  
spring*



Robert Connaway, Roger Garbers, Lonnie  
Hicks, Robert Wiggins, Dick Fortune, John  
Murray, Jim Little, Gary Gregory

## *"Trial By*



Ramona Russell, Nancy Williams, Dee Ann Ford, Diane  
Gibbs, Joyce Bullard



- Jerry Hicks  
 - Dee Ann Ford  
 - Jim Little  
 - Jerry Jones  
 - Gary Gregory  
 - John Murray



Gary Gregory, Jerry Hicks, Jim Little,  
 Jerry Jones

*applause*

*Department's*

*operetta*

*"Jury"*



Dick Fortune, Lonnie Hicks, Becky Roane,  
 Robert Wiggins, Deena Richardson, Jerry  
 Hicks



"Gentlemen of the jury, have you reached a verdict?"



Vicki Hammer



Larry Lucas



Peggy Yates



Lonnie Hicks



Pam Burnette



Pam Piper



G. Waddell, F. Craig, J. Ward



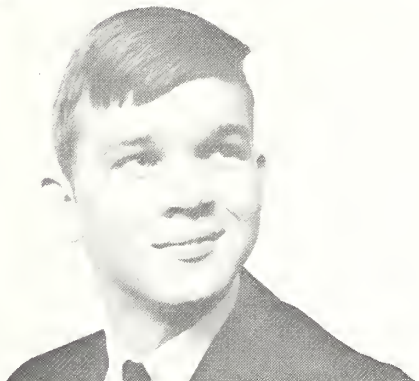


Mr. Blewett



Ray Biggerstaff

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Class - - - - -	RAY BIGGERSTAFF
Nursing School - - - - -	JANE WINDHORST
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Typist - - - - -	PAM BURNETTE
Advisor - - - - -	JOHN TRAVER



Bob Gentry

STANDING BELOW:

M. Annis  
H. Baker  
C. Weatherly  
E. Plummer



Jane Windhorst

SEATED BELOW:

J. Cherry  
S. Sattley



Jacquie Ross and Sharon Brookman

*Staff*



Mike works many long hours.



Terry tries to keep Dee Ann busy.

## *The Pyramid Times*

Commander Drayton Allison of Jefferson Post 141 American Legion presents \$150 check to Mike Aaron. This money was to aid the Pyramid Times in their project of sending Christmas packages to boys in Viet Nam.



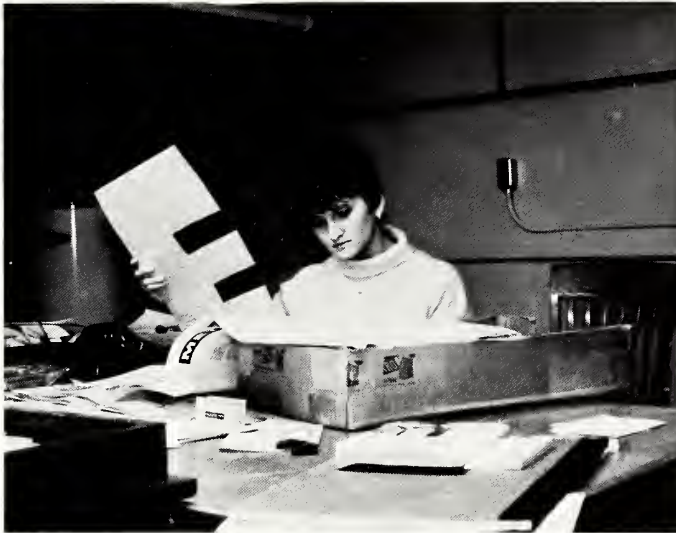
News seems to catch the ear of Diane, Christine, and Bill .....





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    CHRISTINE CHAMBERS  
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    RICH, JUDY WALKER.  
 Chief Typist - - - - - DEE ANN FORD  
 Composing Room Foreman - - - - - CHICK DIETZ



Judy always seems to find enough to do.



The news and feature writers never group to compare notes.

Miss Luchsinger is the advisor of the paper.

Judy, Diane, and Jane package gifts for Viet Nam...New ads Lonnie's looking for...Mrs. John Boyd of the Junior Women's club thanks Terry Pigg, Mrs. Betty Ann Ward, Mike Aaron, and Commander Allison for their enthusiastic support as Mrs. Lee Myers also of Junior Women's club looks on...Even the editors and the newspaper sponsor, Miss Barbara Luchsinger have their laughs when the last deadline is met.



James Houseworth and Mary Jane Moss

Sophomore Representatives



## *Students take Problems*

The student council consists of two members each from the freshman and sophomore classes and three members elected at large. The council serves as a liaison agent between faculty and student body, plans student social affairs, and assists in administering the student activity funds.

Connie Bancroft and Linda Presley

Freshman Representatives







Mrs. Ward, Jane Windhorst, Mary  
Jane Moss

*to Student Senate.*



Terry Pigg, Jane Windhorst, Mrs.  
Ward, Faculty Advisor, Cheryl  
Martin

Representatives at Large

S.E.A. members enjoy one of the many interesting field trips during the year.



## *And Membership of S.E.A.*



Its president was Larry Lucas; first vice-president, Peggy Yates; second vice-president, Candy Jones; secretary, Rose Bland; treasurer, Larry Moore; publicity chairman, Becky Noel; historian, Helen Baker; teacher's aide, Jacque Ross.

Mrs. Imogene Book was S.E.A. sponsor.





"Deck the halls with  
boughs of holly..."

## *Greatly Increases.*

The Kappa Gamma Chapter of the Student Education Association is an organization for college students who are planning to become teachers. Through this organization, students learn about the teaching profession and receive some experience by assisting teachers with classes. Other special activities include banquets and workshops. At the beginning of each semester, also, the S.E.A. sponsors a used textbook sale to help raise funds. The highlight of the year is an annual state convention this year held in Chicago.



The group sings  
Christmas carols  
for families at  
the housing pro-  
ject.



The church was the site of the new library.



Much remodeling needed to be done.

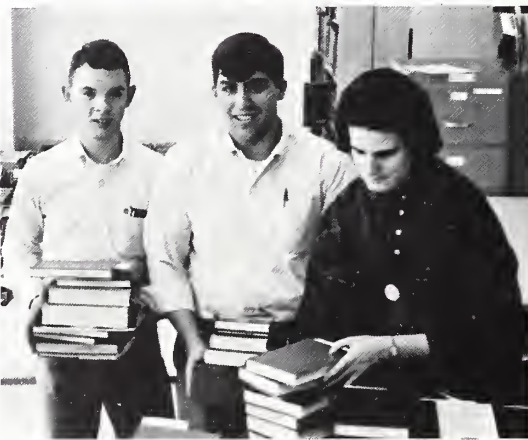


After remodeling, then came the furniture. . .

## *By December We Were*



And the book shelves. . .



And the books. . .



And more books!





The shelves begin to look full.



Mrs. Book and Dr. Rawlinson survey the new site.

## *In the New Library.*



Finally finished for the students to use. . .



And Caroline Baker is ready to begin.

# ACTIVITIES







"Any questions, please?"

## *Viet Nam Convo.*



GRAIG SPENCE

Informal convo after convo.





*Queen Tanice Abraham*

*Prince Henry Phillips*





At Left:  
Miss Janice Abraham and Mr. Henry  
Phillips

At Right:  
Henry Phillips, Janice Abraham,  
Kathleen Abraham, and Roger Harris



Below:  
Flower girl Mary Beth McCullough, Queen  
Janice, crown bearer Richard Abraham





## *Arabian Nights*

The highlight of the year is the Spring Formal. The mystic enchantment filled the air as the couples lightly stepped under the canopy of purple and gold which carried out the surprise theme "Arabian Nights." As the pervading atmosphere of the evening lingered on, the young ladies of the queen's court were escorted in to the spell-bound melody of their choice. The couples watched the crowning of Janice Abraham as queen. Long after the evening had come to an end, the couples remembered the mystic atmosphere of that night.







Relaxing before the jazz session.



A Communique first.



Who turned out the lights?



Just couldn't believe the sound they heard.

Our great college band ! ! !



*New  
College  
Sound*



Rose Ann plucks a folk tune... Cynthia sings "The Shadow of Your Smile"... Johnnie consults with Doc Dan...



The Del Jays harmonize... And it's after the ball at...



*Chau...*







Jane and Becky dream  
about Moon River...



Connie Rinderellas...



...Mystics watch fallin' leaves...  
Injun' Larry repays feathers stolen  
from Mme. R. and Amy...



*acqua*

The Christianaires







'66



*KI*



Klausjagen decorations phase finally into Christmasy completeness.





Linde Stars and...



...Brenda, Jose, and Cynthia, overseers of the delicious Swedish cookies all provide a joyful...

*usjagen*

...atmosphere for the gay early winter swingers.



Cheryl  
Martin

Mike  
McClure



Donna  
Wesdell

Jim  
Dixon



Karen  
Maline

Paul  
Caponi



Patricia  
Dunn

Ed  
Duli

Sue  
Waite

Charles  
Price



Linda  
Presley

Mont  
Murray







*Queen  
Donna  
Reigns*



Donna's Court (left to right): Mont Murray, Linda Presley, Paul Caponi, Karen Maline, Queen Donna Wesdell, Jim Dixon, Ed Dull, Patricia Dunn, Mike McClure, Cheryl Martin, Charles Price, and Sue Waite.

# *Valentine*

Our faithful chaperone,  
Mrs. Betty Ann Ward



Students enjoy the decorations and the music all evening.





# *Dance*

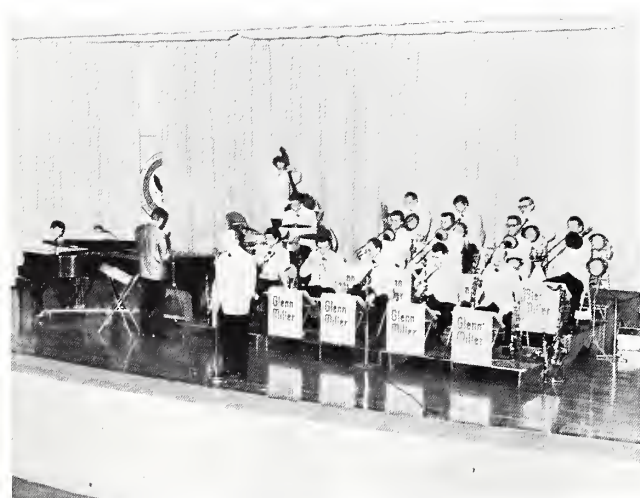


Londons provide the evening with delightful music...



...Students just can not stop dancing.

# *Glenn Miller Band*





Time sure flies at the  
dances after games.



Our Counselor



Napoleon



"And your next problem"



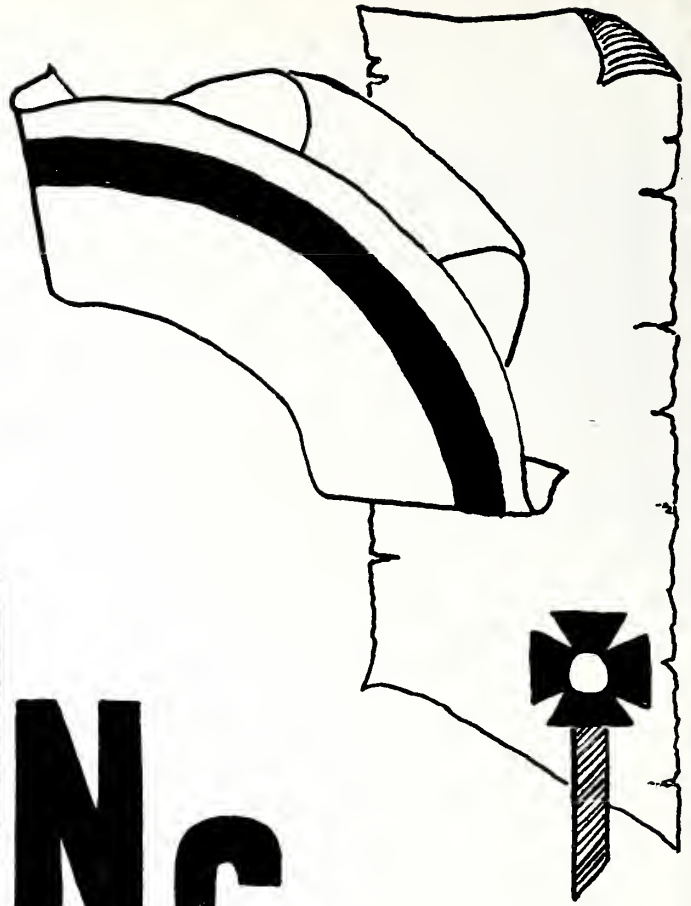
Only the strong win?



When does the music start?



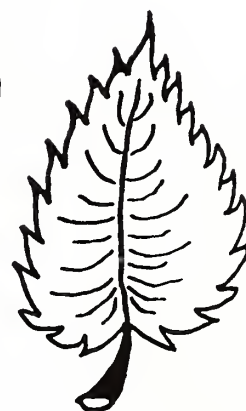
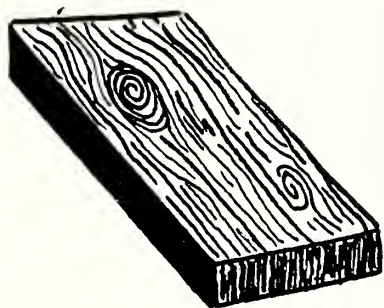
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"Would you believe?" Since Mt. Vernon Community College School of Practical Nursing was started in 1961, its enrollment has increased over 40 per cent and the area it serves has doubled. In 1961, students from six towns were represented. Today students represent twelve towns. The staff has increased from two full time instructors to three full time instructors and four part time instructors. The School of Practical Nursing has graduated five classes of students who are well trained and qualified to serve their community and mankind.



Left: Miss Mary Ann Vowell is in charge of guest register which Mrs. Helen Basten is signing at capping ceremonies.



Right: Miss Diane Sinclair receives her cap at the capping ceremonies.

## *Capping 1966*



Pictured above left to right, TOP ROW: Arline Meyer, Nancy Walker, Brenda Maxey, and Glenda Crawford;  
MIDDLE ROW: Donna Mahan, Alfreda Taylor, Dixie Perez, Sharon Yarbrough, Valarie Wade, and Wilma Farthing;  
FRONT ROW: Sandra Henson, Cheryl Myers, Dorothy Hall, Anna Mae Bargesser, Mrs. Wanda Atchison, Mrs. Gladys Billington, Diane Sinclair, Diane Kruse, Diana Witte, Ruth Eagan, and Mr. Fred Schlosser, personnel manager, Good Samaritan Hospital.



# Graduation

## Class of 1966



Graduates of the Class of 1966, pictured above left to right--TOP ROW: Mrs. Gladys Billington, Dixie Perez, Alfreda Taylor, Arline Meyer, Wilma Farthing, Brenda Maxey, Ruth Eagan, Valarie Wade, and Diane Kruse;

FRONT ROW: Sharon Yarbrough, Mrs. Wanda Atchison, Dorothy Hall, Sandra Henson, Anna Mae Bargesser, Donna Mahan, Diana Witte, Cheryl Myers, and Patricia Maddox--all are reminded of this, another milestone significant in their lives, by commencement speaker, Mr. Archie E. Woodrome.



Left: Seated on the speaker's platform at Commencement are Dr. Howard E. Rawlinson, Dean, Community College and Rev. Alfred F. Winter, Pastor, Faith Lutheran Church; standing are Miss Mary Ksyeki, Nursing School Co-ordinator, Mrs. James C. Dixon, School Board President, and Mrs. Wanda Atchison.



Patricia Andraski  
Helen Blankenship  
Thelma Bumpus  
Peggy Carr  
Eunice Cochran



Mildred Creed  
Doris Dueker  
Ruth Fry  
Betty Gammon  
Harriett Hefner



Harriet Kinsey  
Betty Lane  
Georgia Meeks  
Evon D. Miller  
Linda Mueller



Mollie Payne  
John B. Phillips  
Karen Quinn  
Mildred Quinn  
Pat Sanders



Patsy Setzekorn  
Mary Shaw  
Mary Thomas  
Lynn White  
Paulajo Williams



Mary Wright  
Shirley Yardley



Mrs. Thompson  
Nursing Arts  
Instructor



Miss Ksycki  
Co-ordinator



Mrs. VanCleve  
Instructor





Instruction is being offered to the members of this year's class at the School's headquarters.

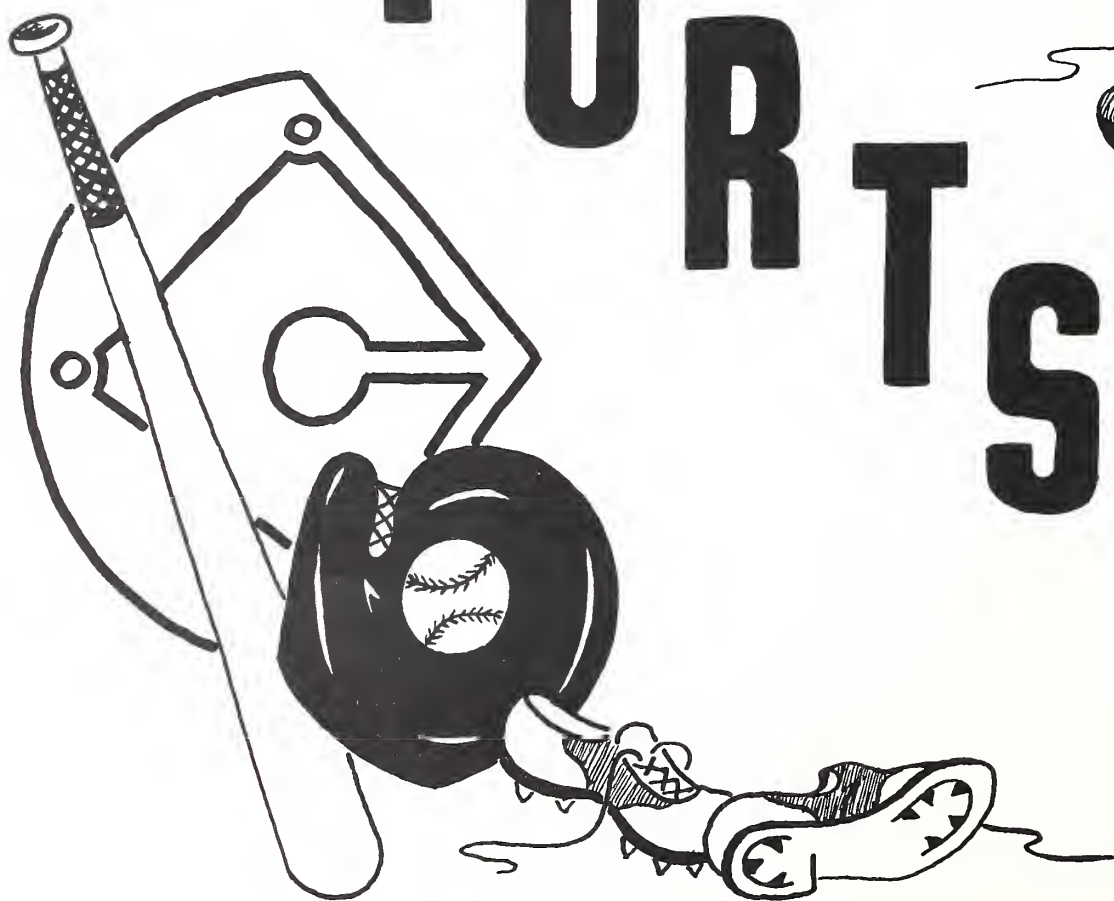
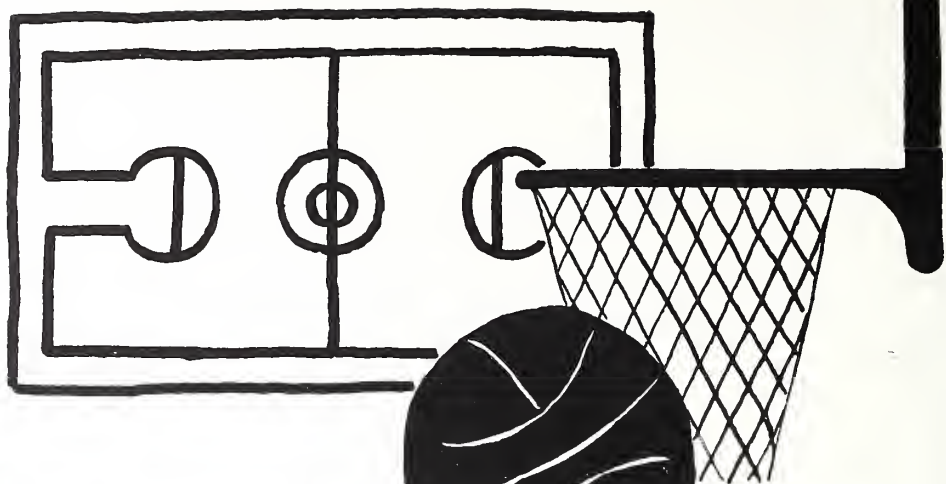


Left: Mrs. Gloria Sinclair is presenting scholarship to Brenda Maxey and Donna Mahan.

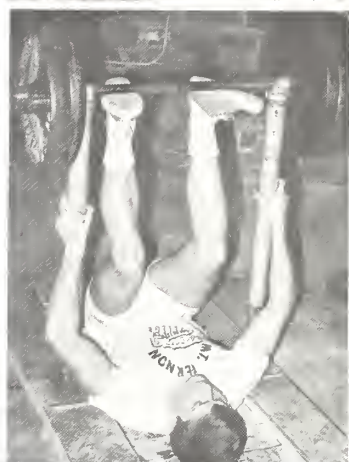
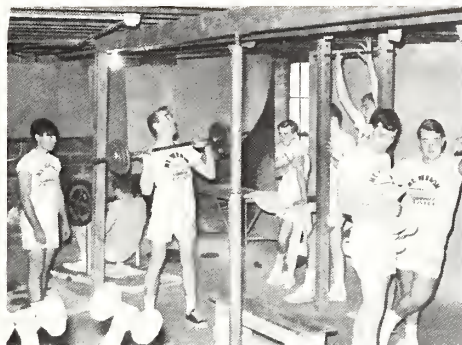
Right: Brenda Maxey is assisting Diane Kruse, patient, in nursing demonstration.



# SPORTS



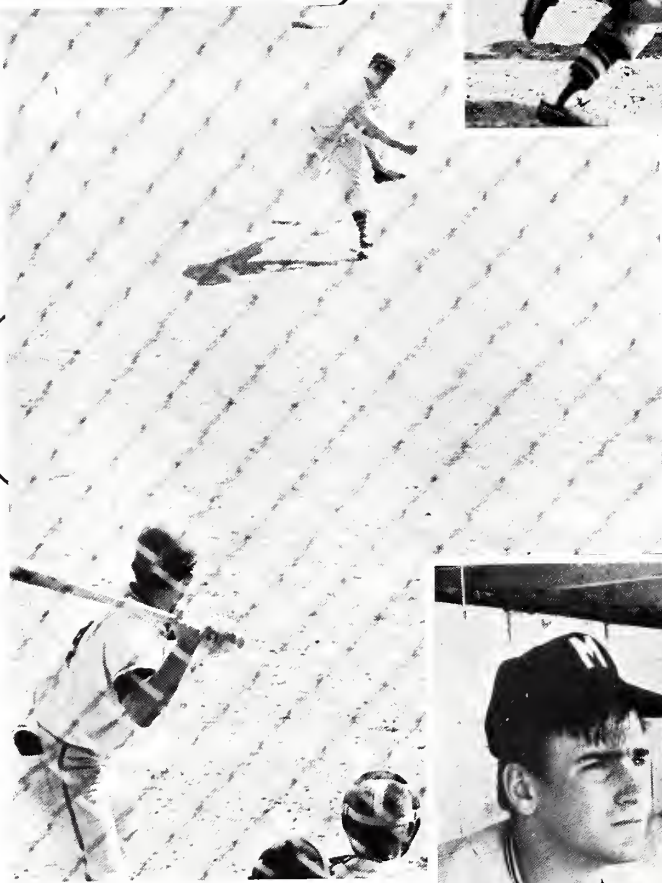




## *Complete Physical Fitness*

Riding there.....to the game floor.....and all the cheers...and, Oh Man!  
that long voyage home!!









BACK ROW (left to right): Mgr. John Murray, Stan Fowler, Gene Szperra, Joe Harrison, Dan Lovin, Ron Lacey, and Coach Will Lee;  
FRONT ROW (left to right): Mgr. Mike Pace, Mike Best, Bob Waller, Dean Jackson, Terry McCullough, and Ed Skelton.

*Lee's*

## *1966 Baseball League*

Game with	We	They
Southeastern Junior College	4	1
(Harrisburg)	0	5
Centralia Junior College	0	4
	11	6
Belleville Junior College	0	7
	4	13
*Southeastern Junior College	22	4
*Belleville Junior College	0	4
Southeastern Junior College	6	5
	1	3
Centralia Junior College	2	12
	7	16
Wabash Junior College	1	2
	6	1
(Mount Carmel)	2	12
	7	16

\* Denotes Baseball Tournament results



*Chris*



*Diana*



*Jeanne*



*Barb*



*Pam*

*All*



*Shout*

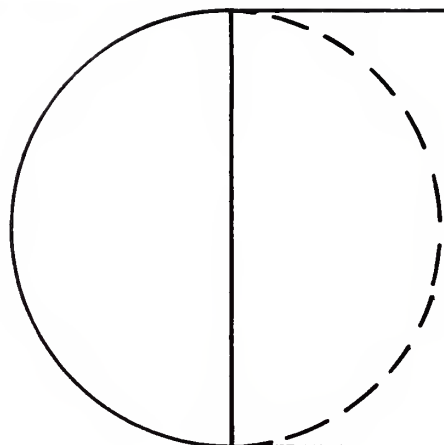


*Warriors  
Accomplish  
Upsetting*



*Gains!  
Hurrah!!*





*Waugh's  
Warriors,*

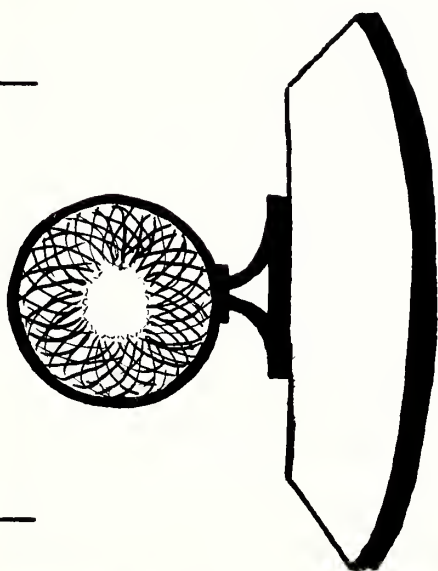




Left to right TOP ROW: Coach Jim Waugh, Dan Lovin, Stan Patterson, Gary Burzynski, Lanny Shaw, Versil Withrow, Mike McKinney, John Fornear, Terry Taylor, Managers, John Murray and Bob Cooper;  
 BOTTOM ROW: Dan Wymer, Gary Hefner, Joe Norris, Leon Peacock, Rick Rose, Bill Kirk, and Dean Jackson.

Game with	We	They
Greenville	86	67
**Wabash Valley	86	64
**Belleville	86	80
*Danville	80	99
*Cape Girardeau	73	104
*Florissant Valley	75	91
**Centralia	82	92
Florissant Valley	70	69
***Olney	65	83
**Harrisburg	74	90
Cape Girardeau	69	73
*Murray State	74	82
***Wabash Valley	75	79
*SIU	71	77
***Centralia	71	69
Danville	72	61
***Belleville	100	91
**Greenville	68	77
**Olney	37	64
**Harrisburg	75	68

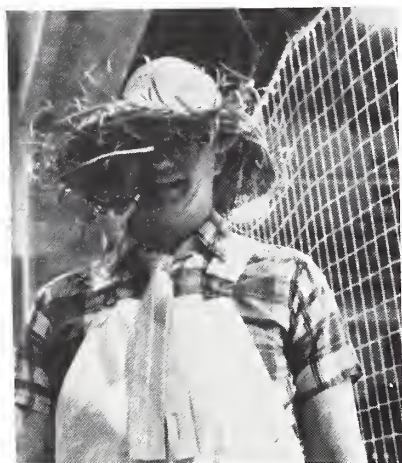
\* Denotes away games  
 \*\* Denotes conference games







## *Candid Camera*







"I Want To Do My Share"

Soon I'll be going across the wave,  
To fight a well known foe  
And instead of saying, "Why take me?"  
My plea was, "Let me go."

For in my mind and heart and soul,  
Was burned an oft' heard song.  
It was the verse of a Marine,  
As he cried the whole night long.

Not for lack of rations,  
Nor for wounds received that day,  
But rather for a buddy  
Whom the eternal price did pay.

He prayed unto his Maker  
For his buddy's soul that night  
Knowing that he had sinned  
In killing for what was right.

For he didn't have to fight for me,  
That Marine upon the hill,  
And break His fifth commandment  
Which says, "Thou shalt not kill."

But he died with the courage  
And the valor of a man  
As I, too, will die that we may keep  
Peace in this - our great land.

In Loving Memory of our brother  
L/Cpl Jack E. Crouch, Jr.

Victoria E. Reid  
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# Thanks

There is no way possible to tell the people listed and pictured below how much we deeply appreciate their help in the preparation of the 1967 PYRAMID. A great deal of thanks goes to Lonnie Hicks, who drew all our art work at a minute's notice.

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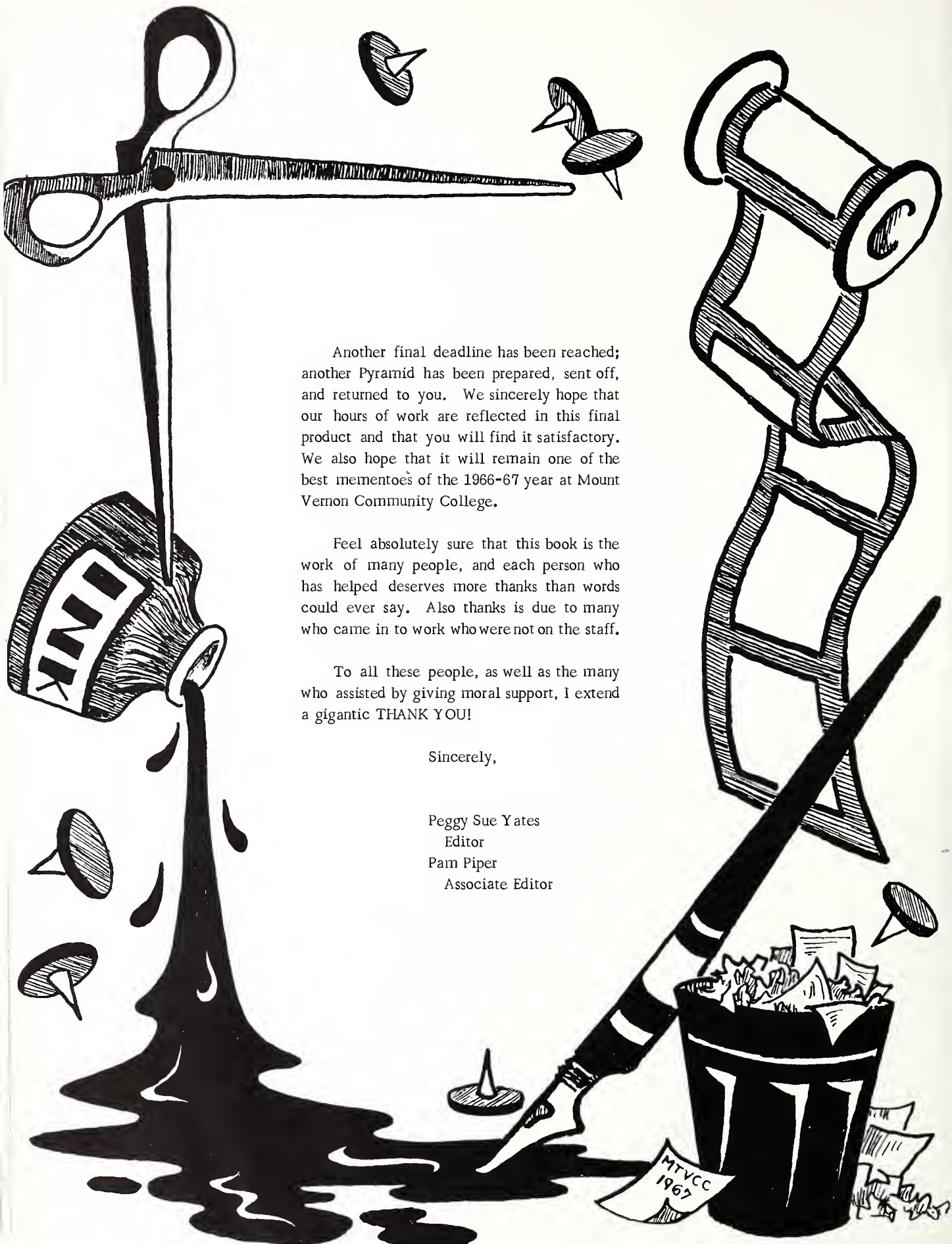
Jon Strunk

Pictured below are artists and photographers left to right:

STANDING: Lonnie Hicks, Tom Jones, Terry Pigg, Dan Ellis;

SEATED: Mike Irwin and Mike Aaron.





Another final deadline has been reached; another Pyramid has been prepared, sent off, and returned to you. We sincerely hope that our hours of work are reflected in this final product and that you will find it satisfactory. We also hope that it will remain one of the best mementoes of the 1966-67 year at Mount Vernon Community College.

Feel absolutely sure that this book is the work of many people, and each person who has helped deserves more thanks than words could ever say. Also thanks is due to many who came in to work who were not on the staff.

To all these people, as well as the many who assisted by giving moral support, I extend a gigantic THANK YOU!

Sincerely,

Peggy Sue Yates  
Editor  
Pam Piper  
Associate Editor





"I dare you to say that again!"



"I wanted to be seen."

"All together now."



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before a deadline.





"Where is everyone?"



"I didn't know you cared."

The line up...



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